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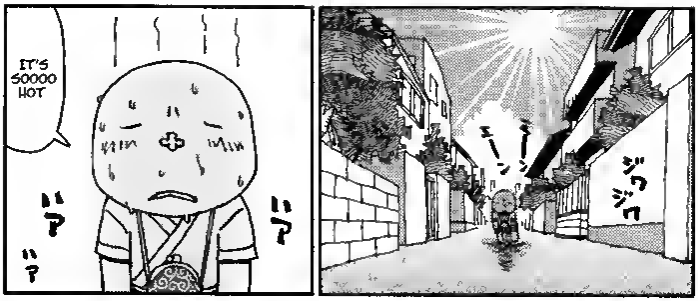
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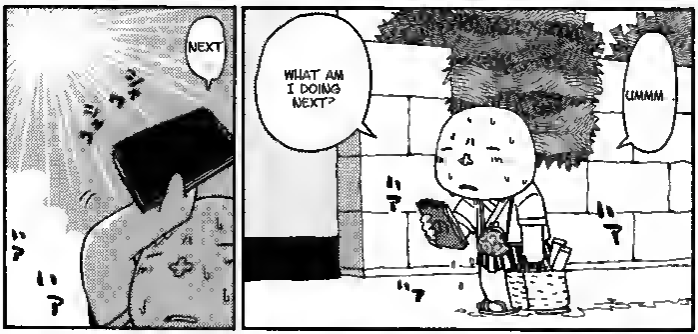
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WHAT AM I DOING NEXT?
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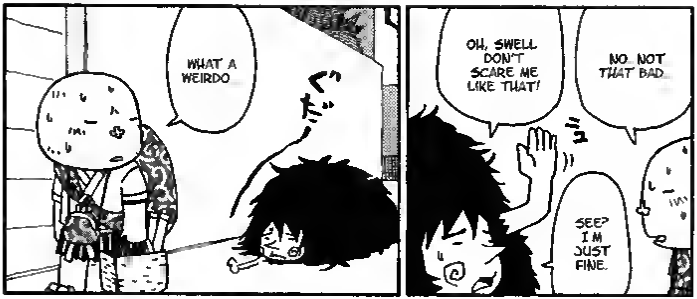
NORAMIMI SUNSHINE

WELL, THAT'S QUITE A LOAD YOU'VE GOT THERE
YOU HAVEN'T FORGOTTEN ANYTHING?
GOT YOUR MEMO BOOK?
NO WAY
I SURE DO
2
I'M A FULLY MADE EMPLOYEE LIKE EVERY-ONE ELSE
AWWW SHUCKS
AS YOU CAN SEE, WE'RE JUST SWAMPED TODAY
THANK YOU SO MUCH NORAMIMI
I'VE GOT A STRONG WILL TO WORK TODAY I FEEL IT IN MY BONES
AFTER ALL, THIS IS MY BIG CHANCE TO SCORE SOME BENTO
IT'S HOT OUT SO BE CAREFUL
GOOD LUCK ON YOUR ERRANDS
GLAD TO SEE YOU'RE PUMPED UP
HEHEHE, YOU JUST LEAVE THIS ALL TO ME!

SO HOT
LET'S SEE, NEXT UP
ANOTHER DELIVERY...
3
U-HEY, WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
WHA?
OH SORRY IT'S JUST SO HOT
I WAS TAKING A LITTLE BREAK
YOU OKAY?
WHY,
DO I NOT LOOK OKAY?
DO I LOOK LIKE I'M DYING OR SOMETHING?!


WHAT A WEIRDO
OH, SWELL DON'T SCARE ME LIKE THAT!
NO, NOT THAT BAD.
SEE? I'M JUST FINE.

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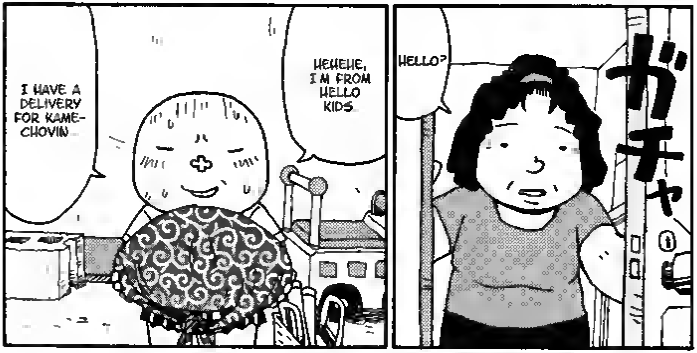
I HAVE A DELIVERY FOR KAME-CHOVIN
HEHEHE, I'M FROM HELLO KIDS
HELLO?
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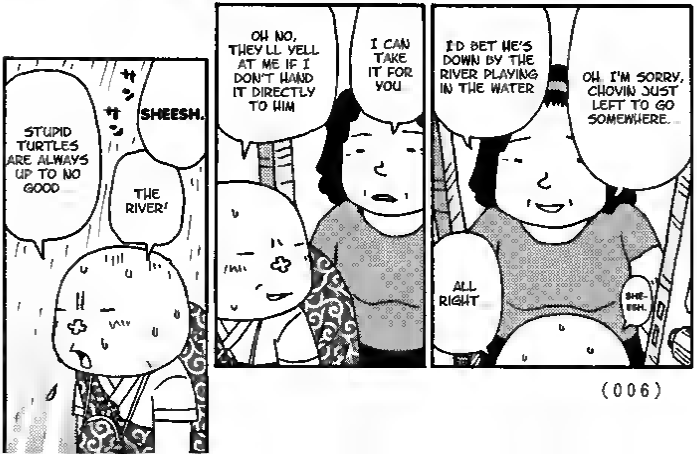
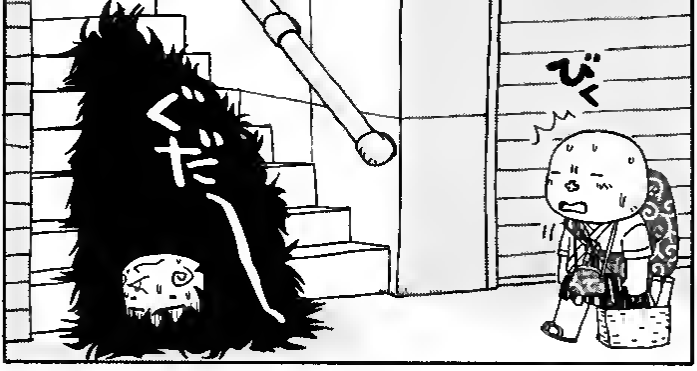

STUPID TURTLES ARE ALWAYS UP TO NO GOOD
サンサン
SHEESH.
THE RIVER!
OH NO, THEY'LL YELL AT ME IF I DON'T HAND IT DIRECTLY TO HIM
I CAN TAKE IT FOR YOU
I'D BET HE'S DOWN BY THE RIVER PLAYING IN THE WATER
OH, I'M SORRY, CHOVIN JUST LEFT TO GO SOMEWHERE.
ALL RIGHT
SHE-ESH.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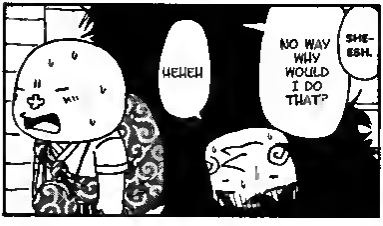
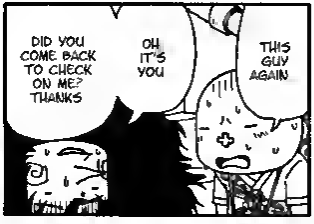
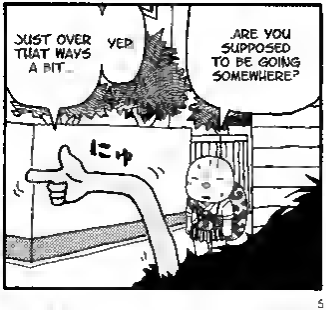

HEHEH
NO WAY WHY WOULD I DO THAT?
SHE-ESH.


DID YOU COME BACK TO CHECK ON ME? THANKS
OH IT'S YOU
THIS GUY AGAIN

NO, NO, I'LL GO AT MY OWN PACE
I COULD CALL SOMEONE FOR YOU
I'M GETTING THERE, BIT BY BIT...

I'VE GOT SOMETHING REALLY REALLY IMPORTANT TO TAKE CARE OF


JUST OVER THAT WAY'S A BIT...
YEP.
ARE YOU SUPPOSED TO BE GOING SOMEWHERE?
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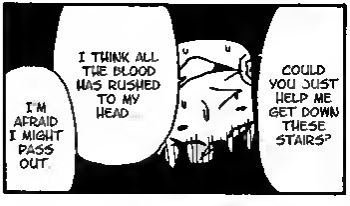
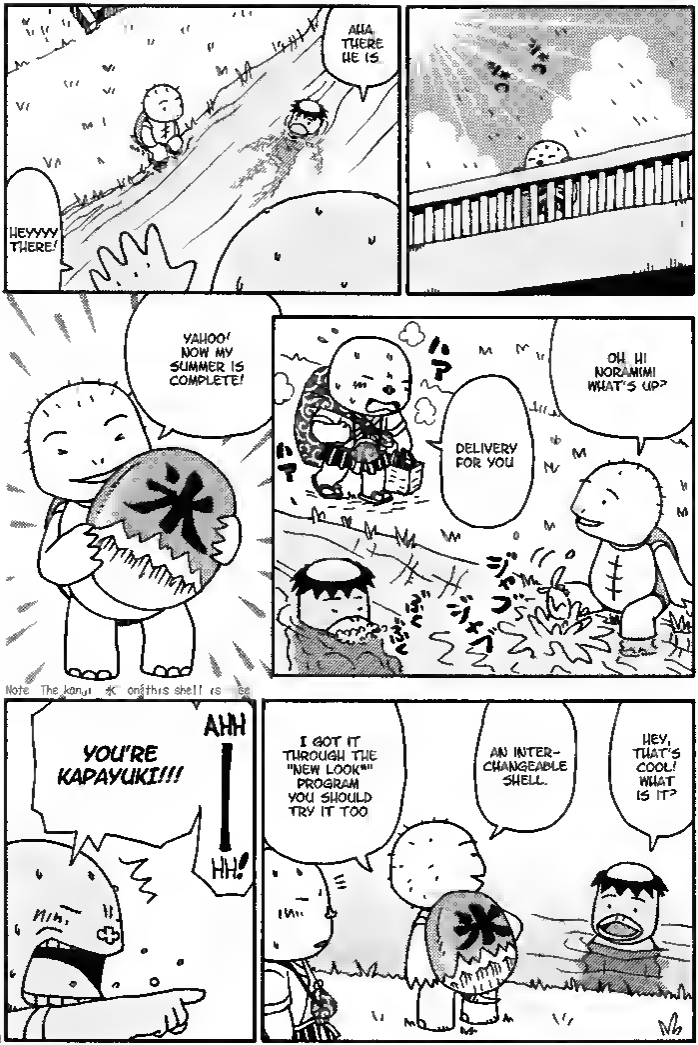

I'M AFRAID I MIGHT PASS OUT
I THINK ALL THE BLOOD HAS RUSHED TO MY HEAD
COULD YOU JUST HELP ME GET DOWN THESE STAIRS?

SORRY HANG ON
OH!

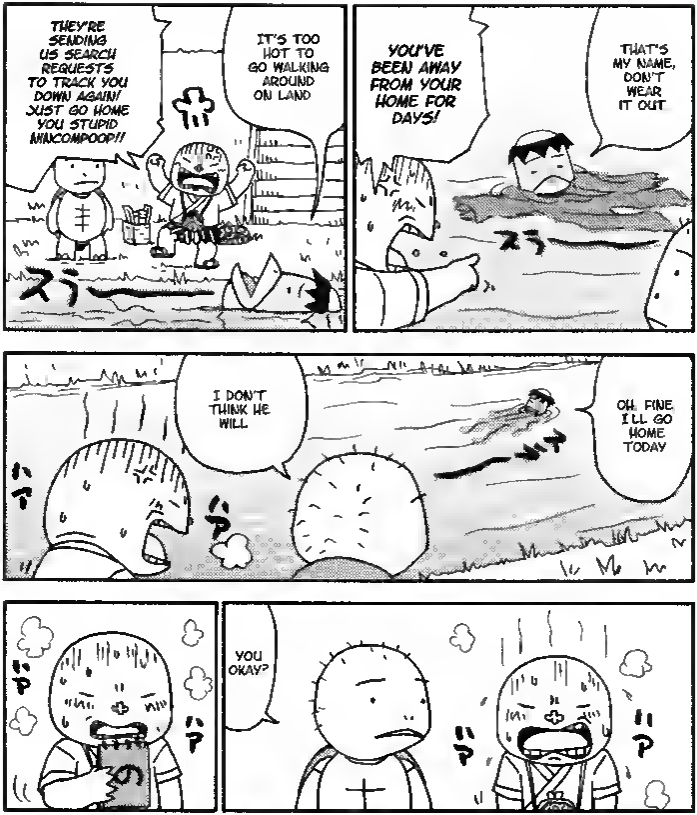
HELP
HUH?
REMEMPER, AROUND NEW YEAR'S EVE?
IT'S ME
OH! YOU'RE MY APPRENTICE REDCHEEKS!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
NORA-MIM!
HUH? WHO'S THAT?
OH NO DON'T MIND ME
YOU SEEM TO BE HAVING SOME TROUBLE CAN I HELP IN ANY WAY?
SINCE YOU CAME ALONG YES!
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
NOW I'VE GOT TO HURRY AND
I FORGOT!
I'M ON AN ERRAND

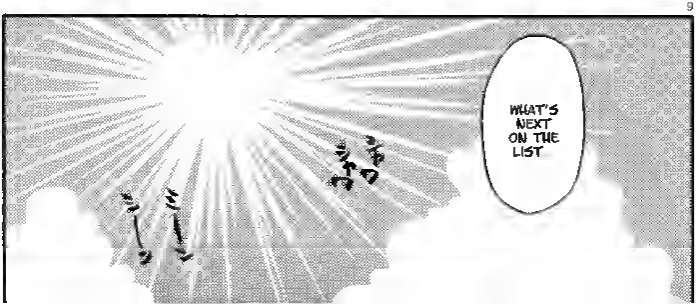
DO WHAT AGAIN?
MY ERRAND MEMO!
MY ENTIRE SCHEDULE IS WRITTEN DOWN IN THIS THING!!
WHAT'S THAT THERE?
HEH HEH HEH WHEN I FORGET, IT'S TIME FOR
TO BE HONEST, I DON'T SEE HOW YOU CAN TELL
Ah yes, luggage for the turtle... better get to the river
THERE ISN'T A SINGLE WORD WRITTEN IN IT
WOW THAT SOUNDS NEAT
AHH, I SEE.
SO I WRITE IT IN A WAY I CAN UNDER-STAND
I DON'T KNOW HOW TO WRITE.


AHA THERE HE IS
HEYYYY THERE!
YAHOO! NOW MY SUMMER IS COMPLETE!
OH HI NORANIMI WHAT'S UP?
DELIVERY FOR YOU
I GOT IT THROUGH THE "NEW LOOK"* PROGRAM YOU SHOULD TRY IT TOO
AN INTER-CHANGEABLE SHELL.
HEY, THAT'S COOL! WHAT IS IT?
YOU'RE KAPAYUKI!!!
AHH HH!

Note The kanji 氷 on this shell is ice

* New Look Hello Kids cosmetic service.


THEY'RE SENDING US SEARCH REQUESTS TO TRACK YOU DOWN AGAIN! JUST GO HOME YOU STUPID MANCOMPOOP!!
IT'S TOO HOT TO GO WALKING AROUND ON LAND
YOU'VE BEEN AWAY FROM YOUR HOME FOR DAYS!
THAT'S MY NAME, DON'T WEAR IT OUT
I DON'T THINK HE WILL
OH, FINE. I'LL GO HOME TODAY
YOU OKAY?


WHAT'S NEXT ON THE LIST

IT'S SOOOO HOT...
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NEXT...
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WHAT WAS I SUPPOSED TO DO...?
UMM...
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プシュ
10
HEY THERE
GOTTA TAKE A BREAK...
DRINK

WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
SO WE MEET AGAIN
I THOUGHT IT MIGHT BE COOLER A BIT HIGHER UP
BUT IN FACT, IT'S WAY FREAKIN' HOTTER!
SO JUST GET DOWN FROM THERE THEN
NAAH, I'LL BE FINE IN FACT IM STARTING TO GET USED TO IT FEELS KINDA NICE
SAY, THAT JUICE LOOKS GOOD! THINK I'LL HAVE SOME, TOO
WHAT A WEIRDO
SHEESH.

プシュー
SO WHERE ARE YOU HEADED TO, ANYWAYS?
WHO ME?
WHEW, THAT HITS THE SPOT I'M A NEW MAN
WELL TO TELL YOU THE TRUTH, I'M SUPPOSED TO BE FREELOADING AT A NEW HOUSE TODAY
WHAT?!
12
YOU DON'T SERIOUSLY MEAN THAT, DO YOU?
I MEAN, THIS IS LIKE THE MOST IMPORTANT DAY FOR YOU...
BUT THIS HEAT JUST SAPS MY WILL TO DO ANYTHING...
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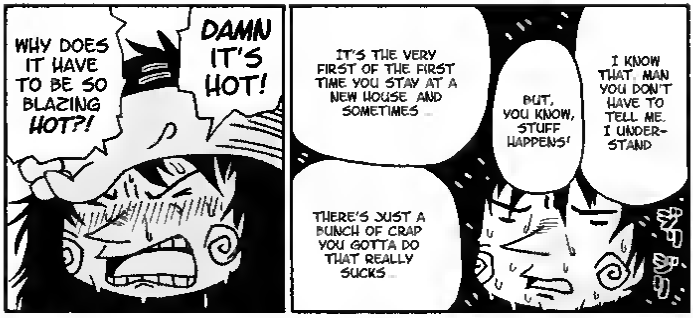
I'VE GOT ALL THESE PREPARATIONS I SHOULD BE TAKING CARE OF...
BUT YOU KNOW, I WAS FREE* FOR SUCH A LONG TIME I FEEL NERVOUS ABOUT HOME-STAYING ONCE AGAIN...

* Free: the state of not freeloading at any home... Also: homestay ronin.


DAMN IT'S HOT!
WHY DOES IT HAVE TO BE SO BLAZING HOT?!
I KNOW THAT, MAN YOU DON'T HAVE TO TELL ME. I UNDER-STAND
BUT, YOU KNOW, STUFF HAPPENS!
IT'S THE VERY FIRST OF THE FIRST TIME YOU STAY AT A NEW HOUSE AND SOMETIMES...
THERE'S JUST A BUNCH OF CRAP YOU GOTTA DO THAT REALLY SUCKS...
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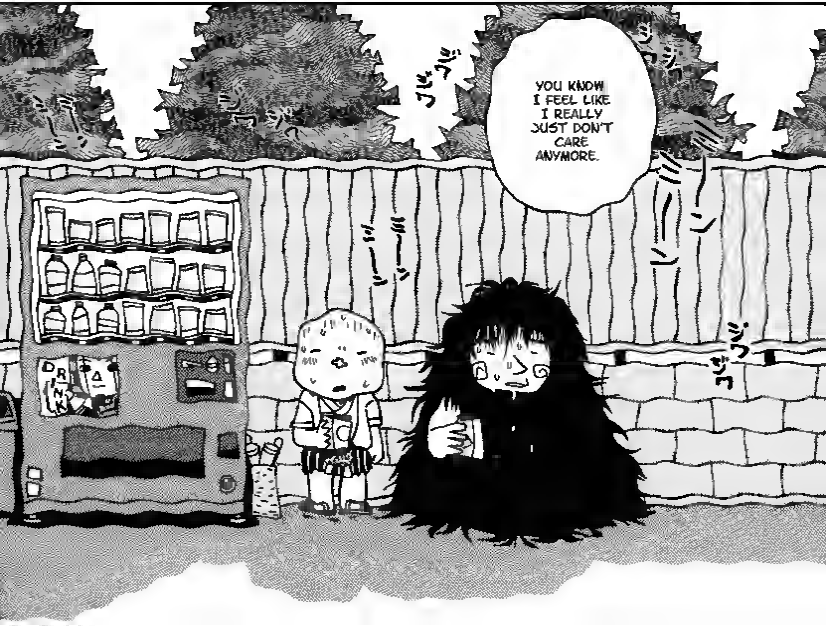
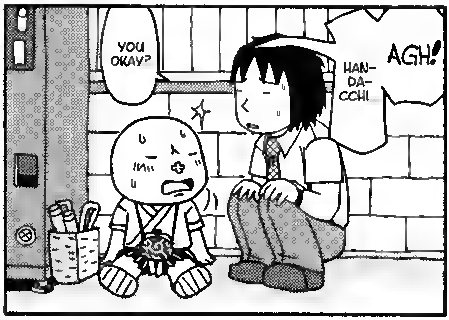
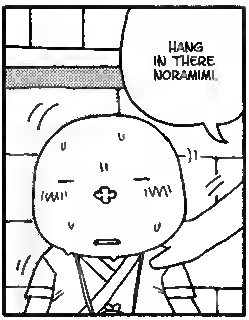
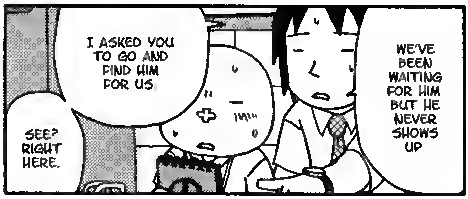
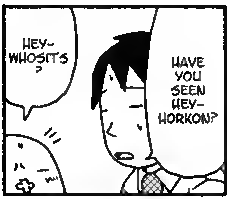

YOU KNOW! I FEEL LIKE I REALLY JUST DON'T CARE ANYMORE.
DRINK


YOU OKAY?
HAN-DA-CCH!
AGH!


HANG IN THERE NORAMIMI.


I ASKED YOU TO GO AND FIND HIM FOR US.
WE'VE BEEN WAITING FOR HIM BUT HE NEVER SHOWS UP
SEE? RIGHT HERE.


HEY- WHOSIT'S?
HAVE YOU SEEN HEY- HORKON?

HE SHOULD LOOK LIKE A GIANT MOP ABOUT NOW
HE HASN'T HAD ONE IN ABOUT 3 YEARS.

HE NEEDS TO GET A HAIRCUT
"SCRUFFY SHAGGY HEYHORKON"

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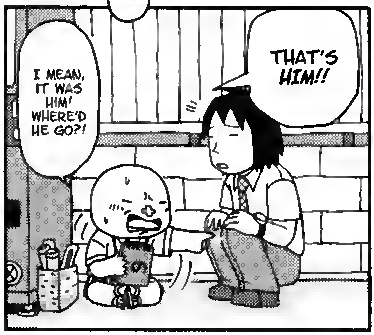
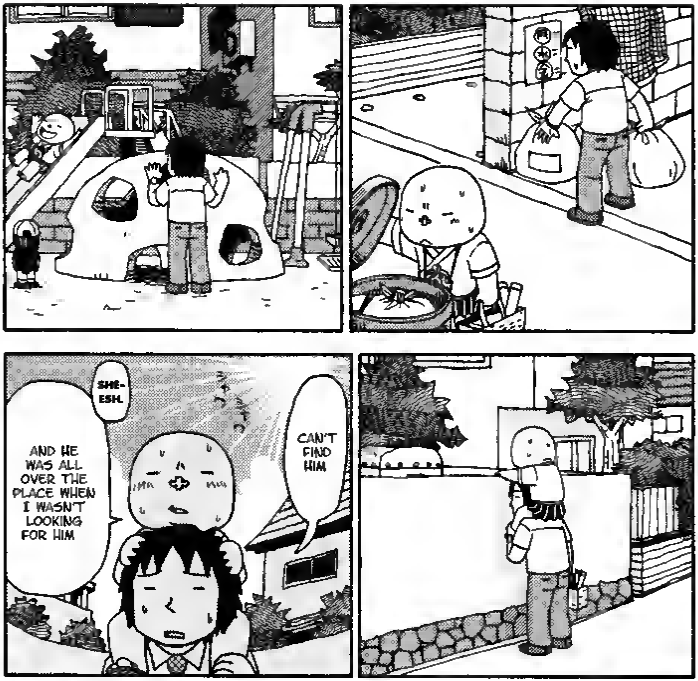

OH.
I MEAN, IT WAS HIM! WHERE'D HE GO?!
THAT'S HIM!!


SHE-ESH.
AND HE WAS ALL OVER THE PLACE WHEN I WASN'T LOOKING FOR HIM
CAN'T FIND HIM

IT'S TIME FOR A LITTLE TRIM.
I'M FROM HELLO KIDS
WHO'S THERE?
UHHH... IS THAT YOU, HEYHORKON?
.....
WE'LL GET YOU ALL FIXED UP AND LOOKING GOOD COME ON OUT.
O-OH, YEAH I WAS JUST ON MY WAY TO SEE YOU GUYS.
NNNNOOOOOO
YOU NEED TO GET CLEANED UP FOR YOUR NEW HOUSEHOLD!
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING?! YOU'RE INCREDIBLY FILTHY AND UNKEMPT!
ON SECOND THOUGHT, I THINK I'LL JUST STAY THE WAY I AM
16
GYAA!
GET OUTTA THAT CRACK, YA LAZY BUM GOBLIN!!
DON'T JUST STAND THERE WATCHING, NORAMIMI! HELP ME!

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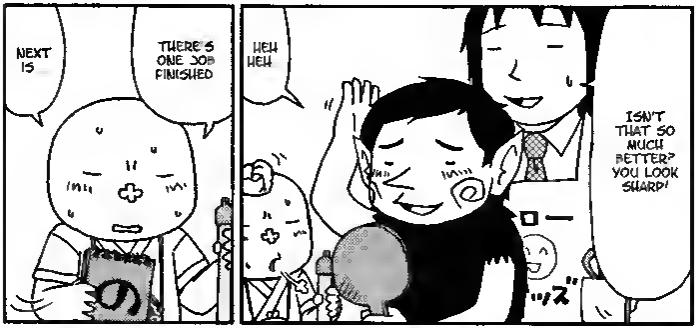
居候キャラ紹介所
ALL DONE!


NEXT IS
THERE'S ONE JOB FINISHED
HEH HEH
ISN'T THAT SO MUCH BETTER? YOU LOOK SHARP!

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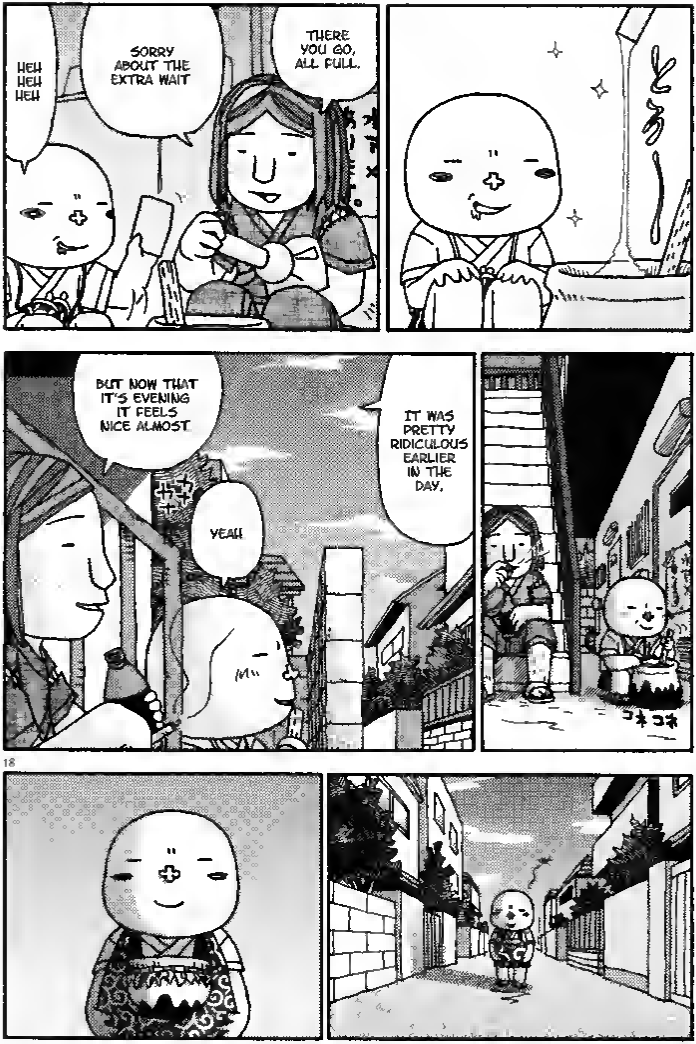
TODAY'S THE DAY I GO TO GET MY SYRUP REFILLED!!
OH, THAT'S RIGHT!


HEH HEH HEH
SORRY ABOUT THE EXTRA WAIT
THERE YOU GO, ALL FULL.
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BUT NOW THAT IT'S EVENING IT FEELS NICE ALMOST
YEAH
IT WAS PRETTY RIDICULOUS EARLIER IN THE DAY.
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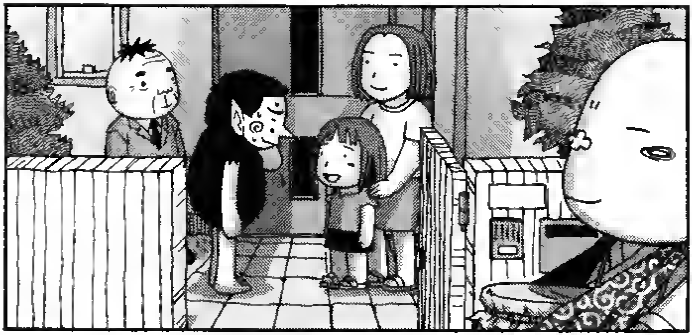
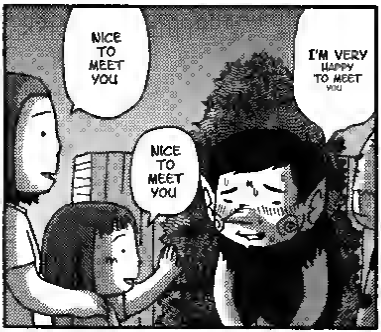
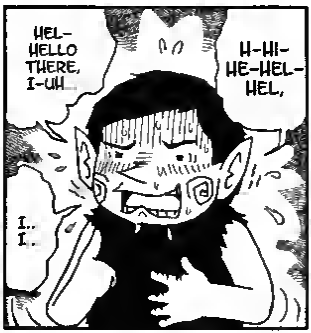
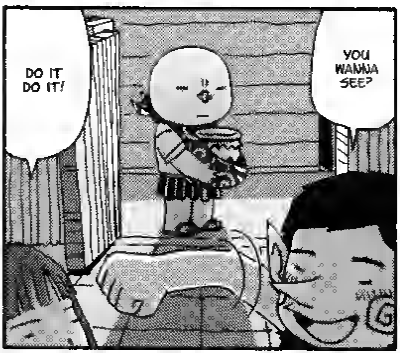
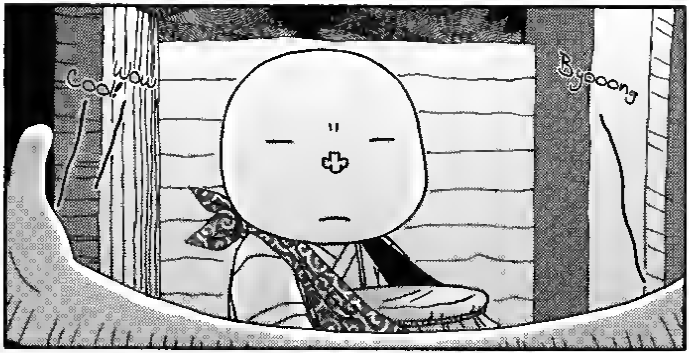


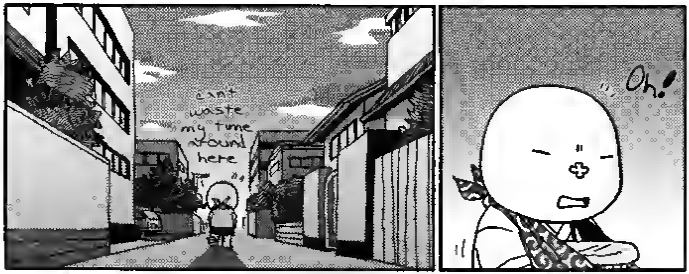

NICE TO MEET YOU
I'M VERY HAPPY TO MEET YOU
NICE TO MEET YOU


HEL-HELLO THERE, I-UH...
H-HI-HE-HEL-HEL,
I..
I..


DO IT DO IT!
YOU WANNA SEE?

HUH ?!
OH, YOU BET! THEY STRETCH WAAAY OUT FAR!
HEY, IS IT TRUE YOU CAN STRETCH YOUR ARMS OUT?





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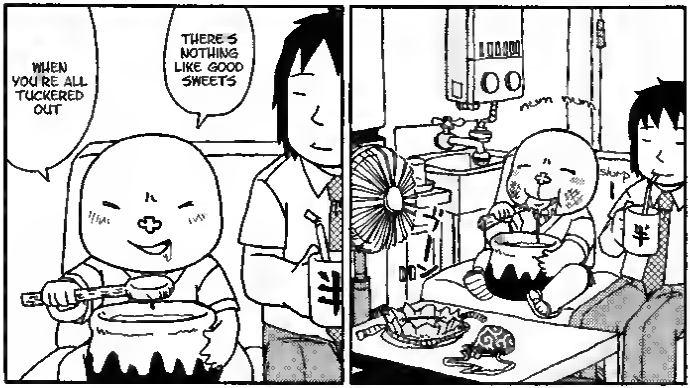

NORAMIMI SUNSHINE = THE END

Mascot File

ID No	00058355
Type	Monster (Spook)
Name	Scruffy Shaggy Heyhorkon

No. of Families Serviced	7
Special Skills	Stretching arms. Can go up to 10 meters easily
Favorite Food	Cake
Motto	Tomorrow is another day
Preferred Family	A klutzy only-child son, with glasses.
Message	I can stretch out all kinds of ways
Further Notes	Lots of fast-growing body hair

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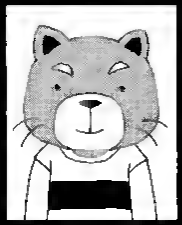
Mascot File

ID No.	00000141
Type	Dog
Name	Doggystyle Wanta



No. of Families Serviced	3
Special Skills	All kinds of dog tricks. Digging.
Favorite Food	Bones.
Motto	Even a dog runs into things sometimes.
Preferred Family	Anyplace with a nice big yard.
Message	Hi.
Further Notes	A very orthodox dog type.

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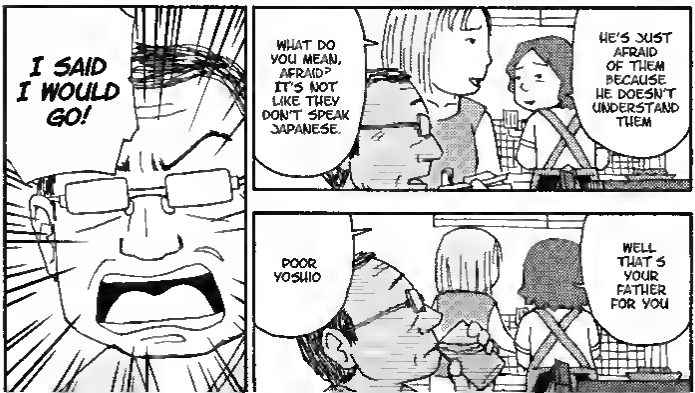
THEY DON'T SCANLATE ONE PIECE ANYMORE, BUT MANGA SCREENER IS STILL THE HOME OF THE BEST MANGA ON THE NET!
MANGASCREENER

DAD OBSERVATION

I'LL HAVE TO TAKE HIM NEXT TIME.
SLEEPING LIKE A ROCK HE WENT TO THE POOL TODAY
YES, I KNOW
THE MASCOT AGENCY
WHAT YOU REALLY NEED TO DO IS GO TO THE AGENCY
IT'S GOING TO BE LIVING IN MY HOUSE. I OUGHT TO BE THERE TO MAKE SURE IT CHECKS OUT WITH ME
I JUST TOLD YOU, I'LL GO
I CAN TAKE YOSHIO TO PICK ONE OUT
IF YOU'RE TOO BUSY,
I HAVEN'T TOLD HIM JUST LIKE YOU TOLD ME NOT TO
YOU HAVEN'T TOLD YOSHIO YET?

WHAT'S ALL THE HUBBUB?
DIDN'T YOU MAKE UP YOUR MIND EARLIER?
I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU'RE STILL SAYING THAT
IT WOULDN'T BE RIGHT TO GET HIS HOPES UP FOR NOTHING
I HAVEN'T YET DECIDED WHETHER I REALLY WANT US TO GET A MASCOT OR NOT
YOSHIO OBVIOUSLY WANTS ONE I THINK HE'D LOVE IT
EVERY KID HAS A MASCOT NOWADAYS
ASK YOUR FATHER ONLY HE CAN TELL YOU
WHAT, ARE WE GETTING A MASCOT?
WE LIVED IN THE COUNTRY. I NEVER EVEN SAW ONE
WELL, THEY WEREN'T AROUND WHEN I WAS A BOY.


I SAID I WOULD GO!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN, AFRAID? IT'S NOT LIKE THEY DON'T SPEAK JAPANESE.
HE'S JUST AFRAID OF THEM BECAUSE HE DOESN'T UNDERSTAND THEM
POOR YOSHIO
WELL THAT'S YOUR FATHER FOR YOU

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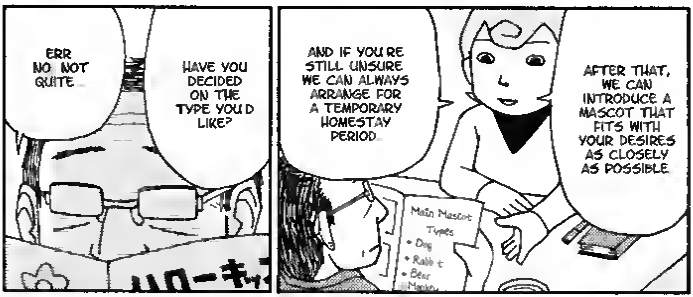
ERR NO, NOT QUITE...
HAVE YOU DECIDED ON THE TYPE YOU'D LIKE?
AND IF YOU'RE STILL UNSURE WE CAN ALWAYS ARRANGE FOR A TEMPORARY HOMESTAY PERIOD.
AFTER THAT, WE CAN INTRODUCE A MASCOT THAT FITS WITH YOUR DESIRES AS CLOSELY AS POSSIBLE.
Main Mascot Types
• Dog
• Rabbit
• Bear
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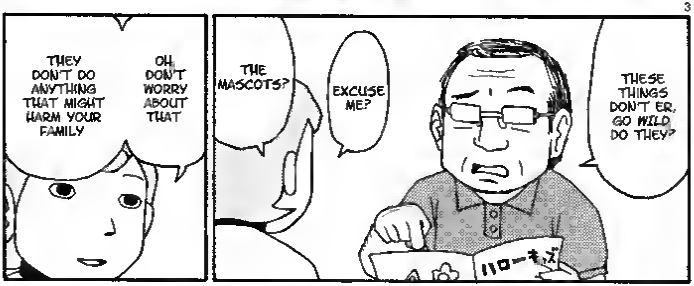
THEY DON'T DO ANYTHING THAT MIGHT HARM YOUR FAMILY
OH, DON'T WORRY ABOUT THAT
THE MASCOTS?
EXCUSE ME?
THESE THINGS DON'T ER, GO WILD DO THEY?
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I SEE
IF ANY ACCIDENTS OCCUR, IT'S THE KIND OF INEVITABLE MISTAKE THAT EVERYONE MAKES
THE MASCOTS DO EVERYTHING WITH YOUR CHILD IN MIND...
I'M VERY, VERY SORRY, SIR!!
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?!
URK!
WHAT IS THIS STICKY SUBSTANCE?
I DEEPLY APOLOGIZE FOR THAT...
IT'S SYRUP
HEY, YOU WERE THE ONE PULLING ON IT!
I TOLD YOU TO BEHAVE, NORAMIMI!
STOP STIRRING THE POT!
STIRRING IS ONE MY CHORES!
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THAT'S BECAUSE I TOLD YOU TO STOP STIRRING YOUR SYRUP, AND DO YOUR CHORES!

BASICALLY, THESE ARE THE ONLY TWO PAYMENTS
FIRST IS A "REGISTRATION CHARGE" AND AN "INTRODUCTION FEE" FOR WHEN YOU DECIDE TO TAKE ON A MASCOT
YES, GO AHEAD
I WILL NOW GIVE YOU AN EXPLANATION OF OUR PAYMENT SYSTEM
IS THAT ALL RIGHT?
THERE WILL BE AN ADDITIONAL CHARGE FOR EACH ONE
Hello Kids' New Look
Hello Kids' Substitute Mascot Service
NOW, IF YOU SHOULD DECIDE TO MAKE USE OF OUR MANY SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES,
THAT'S RIGHT
BIG EATERS, HUH?
LIVING EXPENSES FOR THE MASCOT WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE FAMILY...
AHH
AND YOU WILL RECEIVE A MONTHLY GRANT FROM THE GOVERNMENT FOR FOOD EXPENSES
THESE MASCOTS COME WITH A CERTIFIED "GLUTTON" LABEL
BUT AS A WARNING, THERE ARE A FEW RARE CASES WHEN A MASCOT REQUIRES AN EXTRA AMOUNT OF FOOD...
YOU MAY CHOOSE AT YOUR WILL
AS ALL OF THEM WILL BE THE SAME BASIC FEE
ALSO WE DO NOT CHARGE EXTRA AMOUNTS FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF ESPECIALLY POPULAR MASCOTS.

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I SEE
DO YOU HAVE ANY OTHER QUESTIONS?
OH, YOU FLIRT
WHEN ARE WE GONNA GO OUT AND GET SOME TEMPURA TOGETHER, HUH?
HEY, NAOMI BABY
OH ALL RIGHT! MY BAD, MY BAD
NOW, THAT'S CUTTING IT A LITTLE CLOSE, SHIGARAKI
I'M EXPECTING BIG THINGS FROM YOU
HEY THERE, HANDA MY MAN
UH, THANKS
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HOW IS YOUR DEAR FATHER DOING?
AND WELL WELL WELL, IF IT ISN'T MS SARASHINA!
MUCH BETTER, THANK YOU
SHEESH.
YOU JUST KEEP AT IT THAT'S ALL YOU CAN DO FOR NOW
MMMM AND HERE'S LORD NORAMIMI KEEP AT IT

YEAH I'LL ORDER SOME NEW PUTTERS
TOMAGOME, I ASSUME WE'LL BE HITTIN THE LINKS AS USUAL NEXT WEEK!
WELL I DON'T WANT TO BE A THIRD WHEEL HERE, SO I'LL BUZZ OFF
MY APOLOGIES
OH DEAR! I HAD NO IDEA WE HAD A CUSTOMER IN THE ROOM
OH, OKAY
I'LL TAKE MY LEAVE FOR TODAY
CERTAINLY IS A LIVELY PLACE
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JUST GIVE NORAMIMI PLENTY OF ROOM TODAY HE'S BEEN A NIGHTMARE...
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I'M SORRY, PLEASE DON'T MIND HIM...
HEY!
WHY NOT GIVE ME A SHOT?
EHEH HEH HEH IF YOU WANT A MASCOT,
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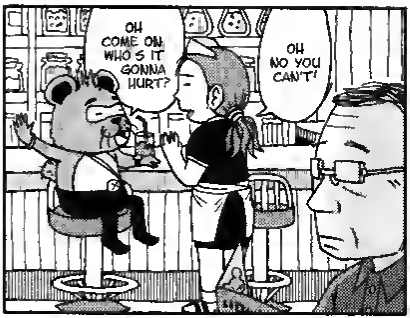
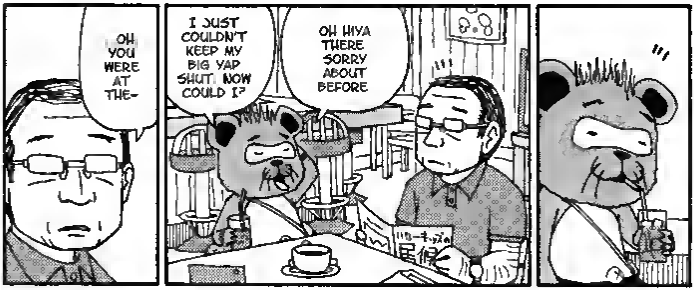
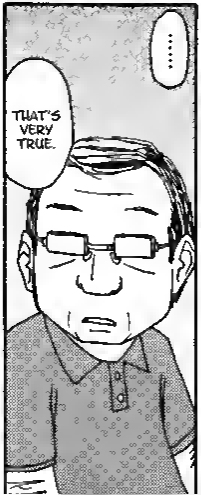

OH COME ON, WHO'S IT GONNA HURT?
OH NO YOU CAN'T!


OH YOU WERE AT THE-
I JUST COULDN'T KEEP MY BIG YAP SHUT! HOW COULD I?
OH HIYA THERE SORRY ABOUT BEFORE


.....
THAT'S VERY TRUE.

YA FOUND A GOOD ONE, YET?
AHA! LOOKIN' FOR A MASCOT, I SEE.

YA GOTTA MAKE SURE IT PASSES SOME MAJOR SCRUTINY
YOU'RE GONNA LET SOME CRAZY GOD-KNOWS-WHAT THING LIVE IN YOUR HOME
NOT QUITE.

BUT HE'S BACK FOR SUMMER VACATION, AND THEY'RE OUT ON VACATION AT THE MOMENT
WELL, NORMALLY THE DAD'S OUT OF TOWN HE WORKS AWAY FROM HOME.
THIS HERE'S MY FAMILY
I JUST WASTE THE TIME WANDERING AROUND AND VISITING
BUT IT'S SO BORING!
SO I VOLUN-TEERED TO STAY AND WATCH THE HOUSE
'COURSE I DIDN'T WANNA BE THE THIRD WHEEL WHEN THE FAMILY'S ALL BACK TOGETHER.
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WE DO STUFF TOGETHER. LOTS OF GOLFING
MAAAH, I JUST GET ALONG REAL WELL WITH THE MANAGER OF THE PLACE.
AHH
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I'D THOUGHT YOU MUST BE LOOKING FOR WORK SINCE YOU WERE AT THAT PLACE
SO YOU ACTUALLY ARE FREELOADING RIGHT NOW
OH HELLO KIDS?

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SO WHAT ABOUT YOU, MR KOYAMA?
WHAT BROUGHT YOU TO THAT PLACE, ALL ALONE?
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WHERE WERE YOUR KIDS?
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AHHH SO THAT'S WHY YOU WERE ALONE.
MASCOTS SMOKE, TOO?
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NAAAH, DOESN'T BOTHER ME A BIT
I REALIZE IT'S A BIT RUDE TO SAY IN FRONT OF YOU.
SO TO MAKE IT SIMPLE,
YOU HAVE A MISTRUST OF MASCOTS IN GENERAL
MASCOTS DRINK, TOO?
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WHY DON'T WE BLOW THIS JOINT AND GET A DRINK?
WHAT DO YOU SAY?

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YOU'RE REALLY ON A ROLL TODAY, SHIGA.
ANOTHER BOTTLE FOR ME AND MY FRIEND HERE!
HERE'S A MAN WHO CAN HOLD HIS LIQUOR!
WELL, I'LL BE DAMNED! GO PROOF, DOWN THE HATCH!
WELL THAT'S GREAT TO HEAR
MEANS I'LL HAVE BEEN SOME USE IN YOUR SEARCH
GUESS I BETTER RE-THINK MY STAN-DARDS
I NEVER WOULD HAVE GUESSED THAT I'D GET ALONG SO WELL WITH A MASCOT

I MEAN I DID WISH THEM ALL WELL WHEN THEY LEFT ON THEIR TRIP
I'VE BEEN FEELING A BIT PUT-OUT LATELY, TO BE HONEST
MIND LISTENING TO A LITTLE SOUL-BARING, KOYAMA?
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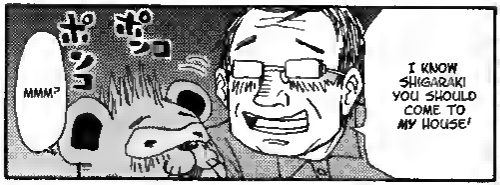
PLUS...
SHI-GARA-KII!
UP UNTIL NOW, I'VE KINDA BEEN THE ONE TO RAISE EVERYONE'S SPIRITS...
MAKES ME THINK I JUST WASN'T PART OF THE FAMILY AFTER ALL...
BUT ON THE INSIDE, I'VE BEEN LESS HAPPY...
OR AT LEAST IT SEEMS TO ME, AT TIMES...
I GUESS I'VE KINDA BEEN FILLING THE ROLE OF THE KID'S FATHER WHILE HIS DAD'S BEEN GONE...

I FEEL LIKE MY SON WOULD BE TAKEN AWAY FROM ME
I'M PRACTICALLY TERRIFIED OF MASCOTS
AS FOR ME
AND I DON'T WANT TO LOSE THOSE PRECIOUS GRADE SCHOOL YEARS TO SOMEONE ELSE
ONCE THEY HIT MIDDLE SCHOOL, THEY WON'T EVEN LOOK AT YOU ANYMORE
THE TIME A FATHER HAS TO PLAY WITH HIS CHILDREN IS REALLY SO, SO SHORT
IT'S SAD BEING A FATHER
IN THE END, THEY ALL STOP PAYING ATTENTION TO YOU
YOU GET TO PLAY WITH KIDS FOREVER!
YOU'VE GOT IT LUCKY, SHIGARAKI! YOU'RE A MASCOT!
I WISH I WAS A MASCOT
BOTTOMS UP! YOU NEED A DRINK!!
MR. KOYAMA, YOU ARE A GOOD MAN!!


I KNOW SHIGARAKI! YOU SHOULD COME TO MY HOUSE!
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MMM?

COME STAY WITH MY FAMILY!
I'D FEEL GREAT HAVING YOSHIO IN YOUR HANDS!
WHY, THAT IS A GLORIOUS IDEA
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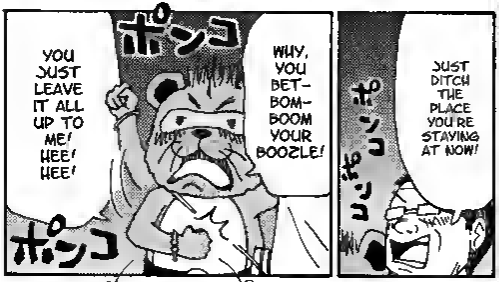
JUST DITCH THE PLACE YOU'RE STAYING AT NOW!
WHY, YOU BET-BOM-BOOM YOUR BOOZLE!
YOU JUST LEAVE IT ALL UP TO ME! HEE! HEE!
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WOW, WHAT A FULL MOON!
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DAMN IT ALL, IF ONLY I HAD MET YOU WHEN I WAS A BOY!

LET'S GO!

HOW GREAT IT WOULD HAVE BEEN TO HAVE YOU AS MY MASCOT!

OH, HOW MUCH FUN IT WOULD HAVE BEEN TO HAVE A MASCOT...
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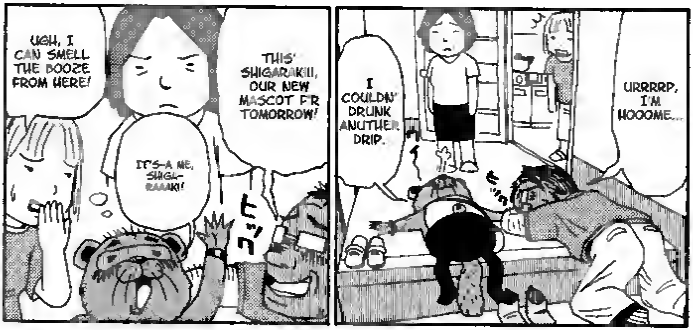
UGH, I CAN SMELL THE BOOZE FROM HERE!
IT'S-A ME, SHIGA-RAAAK!
THIS' SHIGARAKII, OUR NEW MASCOT FR TOMORROW!
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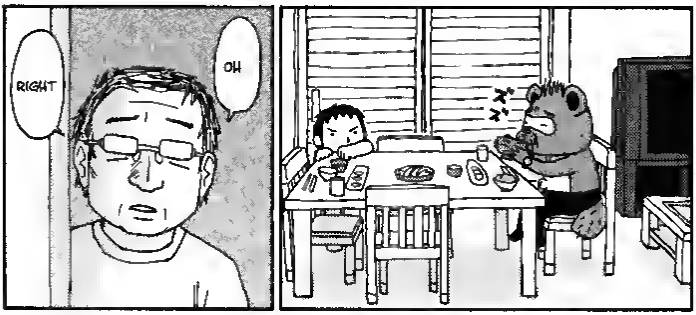
I COULDN' DRUNK ANUTHER DRIP.
URRRRP, I'M HOOOME...

DON'T M-M-MIND ME, MADAM.
HONESTLY, WHAT TIME DO YOU THINK IT IS?!
WAKE UP, GET OUT HERE.
YOSHIO, YOU GOT A MASCOT HERE!

HONEY, WAKE UP GET UP
MMRH ?
OH MY HEAD
HONEY, WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO WITH THAT THING YOU BROUGHT HOME?
HUH?


OH
RIGHT

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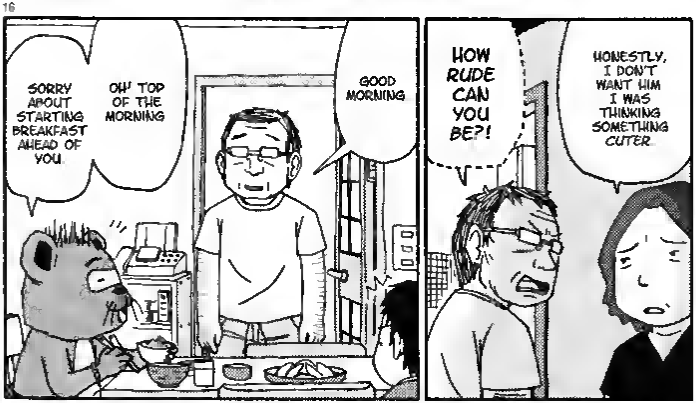
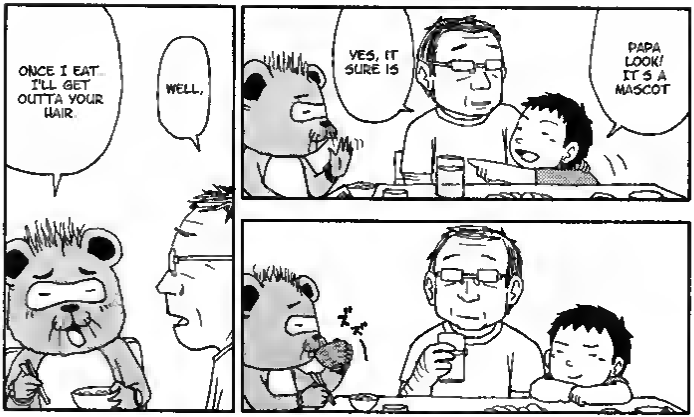
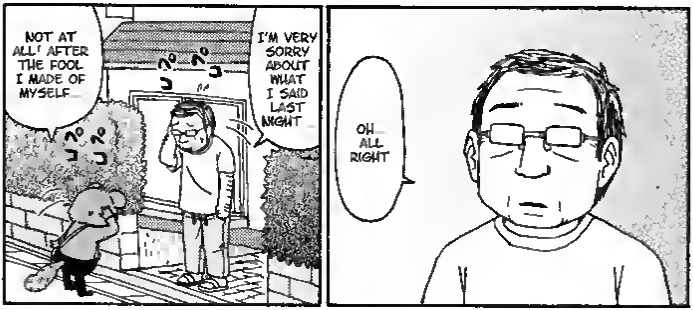
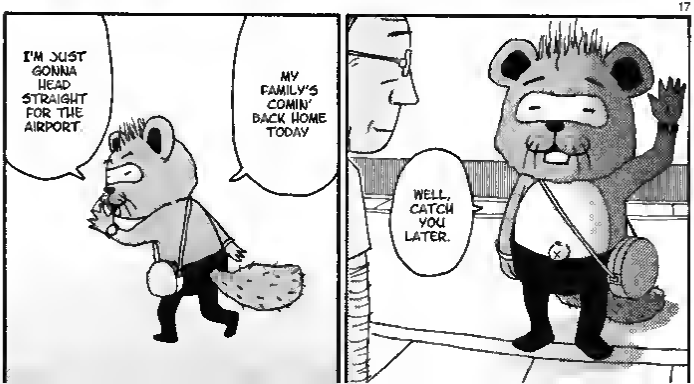
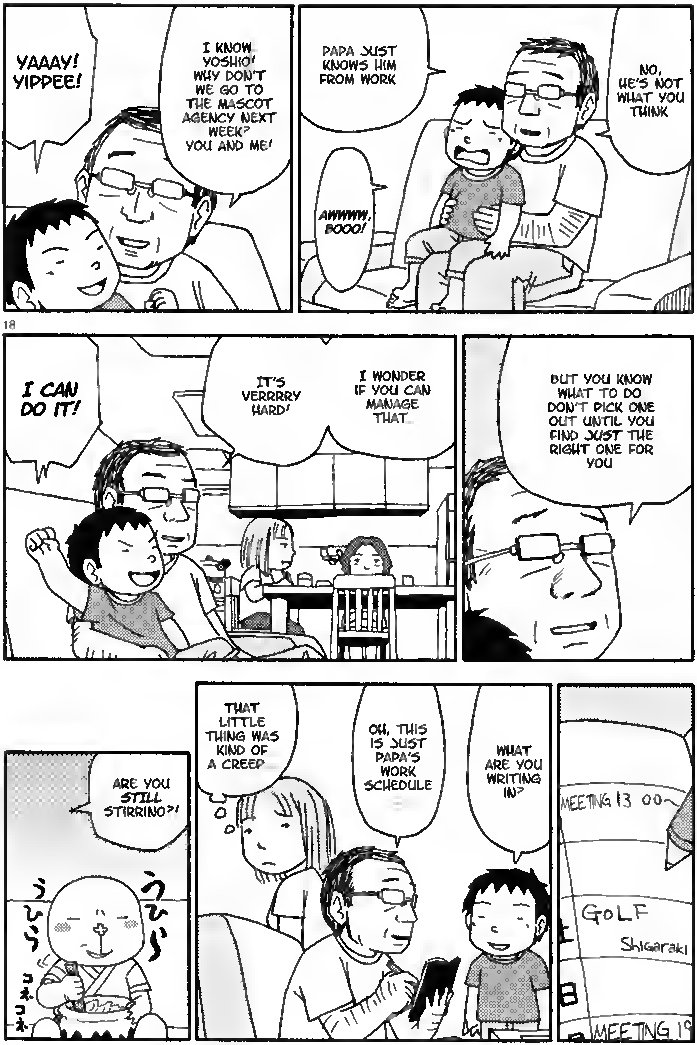

GOOD MORNING
OH! TOP OF THE MORNING
SORRY ABOUT STARTING BREAKFAST AHEAD OF YOU
HOW RUDE CAN YOU BE?!
HONESTLY, I DON'T WANT HIM I WAS THINKING SOMETHING CUTER


ONCE I EAT I'LL GET OUTTA YOUR HAIR.
WELL,
YES, IT SURE IS
PAPA LOOK! IT'S A MASCOT


NOT AT ALL! AFTER THE FOOL I MADE OF MYSELF...
I'M VERY SORRY ABOUT WHAT I SAID LAST NIGHT
OH... ALL RIGHT


I'M JUST GONNA HEAD STRAIGHT FOR THE AIRPORT.
MY FAMILY'S COMIN' BACK HOME TODAY
WELL, CATCH YOU LATER.


YAAAY! YIPPEE!
I KNOW YOSHIO! WHY DON'T WE GO TO THE MASCOT AGENCY NEXT WEEK? YOU AND ME!
PAPA JUST KNOWS HIM FROM WORK
NO, HE'S NOT WHAT YOU THINK
AWWWW, BOOO!
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I CAN DO IT!
IT'S VERRRRY HARD!
I WONDER IF YOU CAN MANAGE THAT...
BUT YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO DON'T PICK ONE OUT UNTIL YOU FIND JUST THE RIGHT ONE FOR YOU
ARE YOU STILL STIRRING?!
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THAT LITTLE THING WAS KIND OF A CREEP
OH, THIS IS JUST PAPA'S WORK SCHEDULE
WHAT ARE YOU WRITING IN?
MEETING 13 00~
GOLF
Shigaraki
MEETING 19

DAD OBSERVATION = THE END

Mascot File

ID No	00003502
Type	Tanuki
Name	Old Badger Shigaraki

No. of Families Serviced	48
Special Skills	Golf Personality
Favorite Food	Hirezake (sweet sake + blowfish fins) Cheese chikuwa
Motto	A chance acquaintance is a divine ordinance.
Preferred Family	A household that will allow me to drink and smoke
Message	I know I'm a bit of an odd duck, but I hope you can accept me
Further Notes	Acts like an old man

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Mascot File

ID No.	00091037
Type	Melon Detective (Fruit - Human)
Name Earth Detective **Dekamelon**	

No. of Families Serviced	8
Special Skills	Apprehending. Dekamelon Thunder Attack
Favorite Food	Water and light.
Motto	Justice always wins.
Preferred Family	A young man with a pure heart full of justice! I can also take on any girls who feel the same!
Message	I fight day and night to preserve the tranquility of our world.
Further Notes	Incredibly popular with boys. Lottery required.

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THEY DON'T SCANLATE ONE PIECE ANYMORE, BUT MANGA SCREENER IS STILL THE HOME OF THE BEST MANGA ON THE NET!
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WHAT? HOW SO?
MS SARASHINA'S PRETTY ODD, DON'TCHA THINK?
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I'VE ALWAYS KINDA WONDERED ABOUT SOME-THING...
Y'KNOW,
SHE DOES HAVE THE HAIR FOR IT
WHAT IF IT TURNS OUT SHE'S A MASCOT?
NO OFFENSE TO HER BUT SHE SEEMS ALMOST INHUMAN SOME-TIMES LIKE, KINDA FAKE...
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WELL, HER HAIR IS CERTAINLY WEIRD
OH, SHE'S JUST GOT LOTS OF SECRETS
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I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU ACTUALLY FELL FOR THAT
YOU BIG DORK!
OF COURSE WE CAN'T!
WAIT, CAN MASCOTS TELL THAT KIND OF STUFF?!
YEAH, AND SHE DOESN'T SMELL LIKE A HUMAN, EITHER
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FIND SOMETHING BETTER TO DO THAN MAKE UP POINTLESS FIBS
STOP JERKING MY CHAIN

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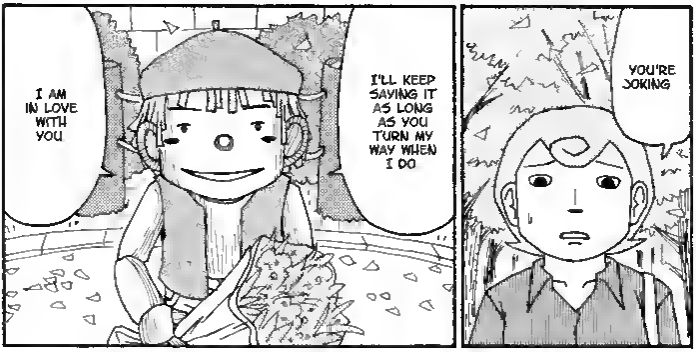
FALL BREEZE, LIES AND SECRETS



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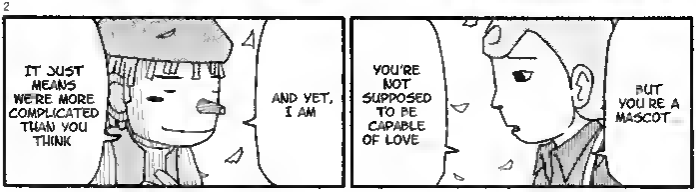

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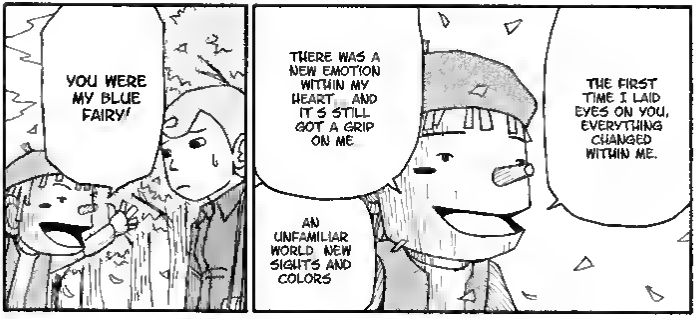
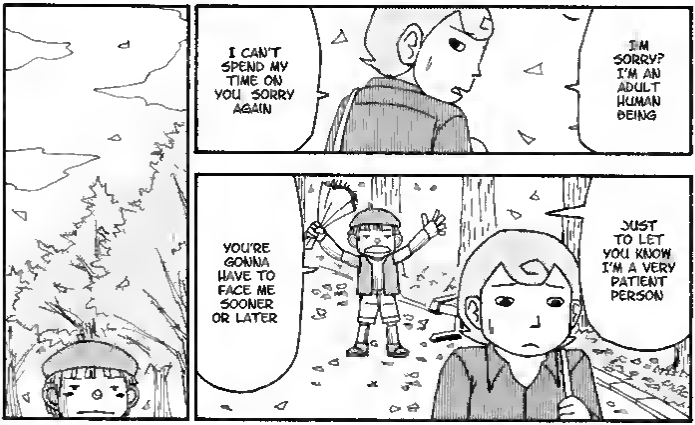
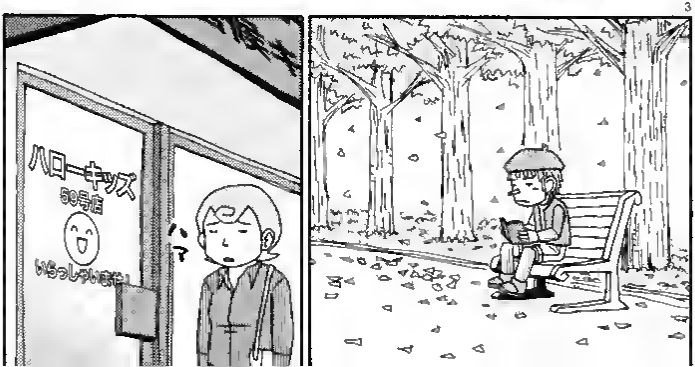

YOU WERE MY BLUE FAIRY!
THERE WAS A NEW EMOTION WITHIN MY HEART AND IT'S STILL GOT A GRIP ON ME
AN UNFAMILIAR WORLD NEW SIGHTS AND COLORS
THE FIRST TIME I LAID EYES ON YOU, EVERYTHING CHANGED WITHIN ME.


I CAN'T SPEND MY TIME ON YOU SORRY AGAIN
IM SORRY? I'M AN ADULT HUMAN BEING
YOU'RE GONNA HAVE TO FACE ME SOONER OR LATER
JUST TO LET YOU KNOW I'M A VERY PATIENT PERSON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大丈夫
HERE YOU ARE, READY FOR WORK
EEK!
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SORRY ABOUT BEING LATE
WHAT?
WELL, SOME PEOPLE SAY I JUST HAVE A GIFT
A NATURAL TALENT FOR SURPRISING OTHERS
WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE...
IT'S A FORBIDDEN LOVE.
HUH?
SO YOU TWO ARE IN A RELATIONSHIP?
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SOMETIMES I JUST DON'T THINK I KNOW YOU!
WE HEARD THE NEWS, MS SARASHINA-AAA!
WHAT DID YOU TELL THEM?!
SO ROMANTIC
YOU WERE HIS BLUE FAIRY?

UHH, YOU SHOULDN'T SEND HIM AWAY HE'S A CUSTOMER
WHAT?!
NOW GET OUT, BEFORE I GET ANGRY!
WHATEVER HE TOLD YOU, IT WAS A LIE!
...
SOME OF US CALL IT "SORROW," INSTEAD
SIGH BACK TO THE GRIND
YOU CAN GUESS WHAT THAT MEANS
YOU FINALLY CALLED ME BY NAME MY FAIRY
MY NAME IS SARASHINA, AND I WILL BE IN CHARGE OF FINDING ONE FOR YOU
AND YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A NEW FAMILY
"WOODEN ASUNARO."

Note Asunaro is a type of tree that grows in Japan, related to the cedar.

PLEASE STATE YOUR PREFERRED TERMS!
YOUR HOUSE.
PLEASE STATE YOUR PREFERRED TERMS
THAT'S THE TRUTH
BUT I'M NOT REALLY INTERESTED IN GOING ANYWHERE RIGHT NOW
ALL RIGHT, ALL RIGHT, I DON'T WANT TO GIVE YOU GRIEF
.....
DO YOU LIVE ALONE?
OH, I FORGOT SOMETHING IMPORTANT!
GIVE ME A HAND, HERE.
ISN'T THAT YOUR JOB?
I NEED SOMEONE TO SIT DOWN WITH ME AND HELP ME DISCUSS MY FUTURE IN A WAY THAT EVEN I CAN UNDERSTAND
I'M AT A LOSS RIGHT NOW
YOU DON'T WANT TO HOMESTAY?
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OH NORAMIMI, CAN YOU GO DO SOME SHOPPING?
DO I HAVE TO?
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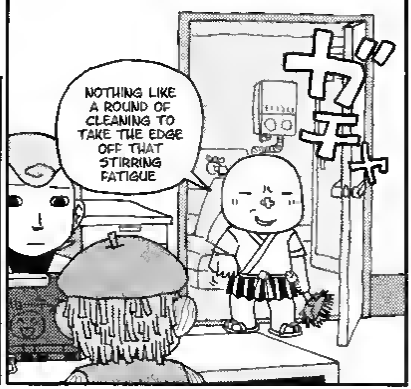
NOTHING LIKE A ROUND OF CLEANING TO TAKE THE EDGE OFF THAT STIRRING FATIGUE
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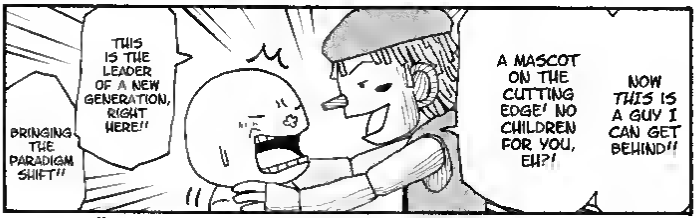
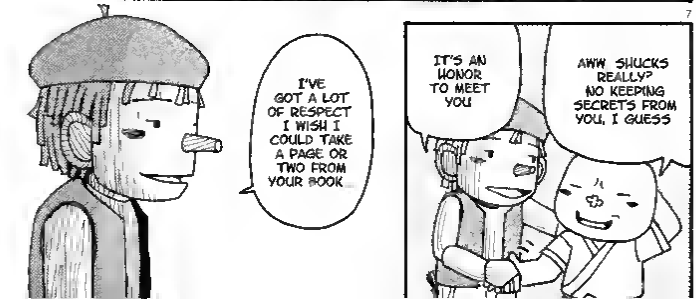
WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA? QUIT STARIN
WOW WHAT A WORLD!!
SO THIS WAS THE SAME PLACE!
MAKES SENSE

ARE YOU THAT CRAZY KITSCHY COOL GUY WHO'S FREELOADING AT THE INTRODUCTION AGENCY?!
NORA-MIMI?!
WAIT I'VE HEARD OF YOU!


THIS IS THE LEADER OF A NEW GENERATION, RIGHT HERE!!
BRINGING THE PARADIGM SHIFT!!
A MASCOT ON THE CUTTING EDGE! NO CHILDREN FOR YOU, EH?!
NOW THIS IS A GUY I CAN GET BEHIND!!


I'VE GOT A LOT OF RESPECT I WISH I COULD TAKE A PAGE OR TWO FROM YOUR BOOK
IT'S AN HONOR TO MEET YOU
AWW SHUCKS REALLY? NO KEEPING SECRETS FROM YOU, I GUESS

SHHH
SEE YOU TOMOR-ROW, MY FAIRY
SORRY, I'VE GOT BUSINESS TODAY
ALL RIGHT, WHY DON'T YOU BE MY APPRENTICE AND STAY HERE WITH ME?
THAT'S ONE ODD DUCK
WHAT IS HIS DEAL?
Sigh
OH YEAH, HE'S A PINOCCHIO -TYPE.
BUT YOU KNOW, HIS NOSE.
I GUESS I JUST HAVE TO ASSUME THAT HE'S LYING TO ME...
AND IT'S DIFFERENT FROM THE KIND OF "LOVE" THAT THEIR KIDS FEEL TOWARD THEM.
NAH, WE KEEP IT REAL. NONE OF THAT JUNK.
MASCOTS CAN'T FEEL LOVE, RIGHT NORAMIMI?

mgoooing
I'll never do it again
yeah right
heh
AS MUCH AS THEY LIE
IF YOU WERE LIKE THAT, IT'D NEVER STOP GROWING
REALLY? HOW LONG?!
WHEN THAT TYPE LIES THEIR NOSES GET LONGER
HUH? WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
I JUST DON'T WANT HIM HANGING AROUND AND BOTHERING ME
YOU MUST BE JOKING
I BET IT WOULD BE COOL TO GO OUT WITH A MASCOT
HEY, DON'T SWEAT THE DETAILS
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NOW THAT I TAKE A CLOSER LOOK
I SUPPOSE THIS PUFFY, SMOOTH SKIN IS RATHER ADORABLE
W-W-WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA, HUH?!
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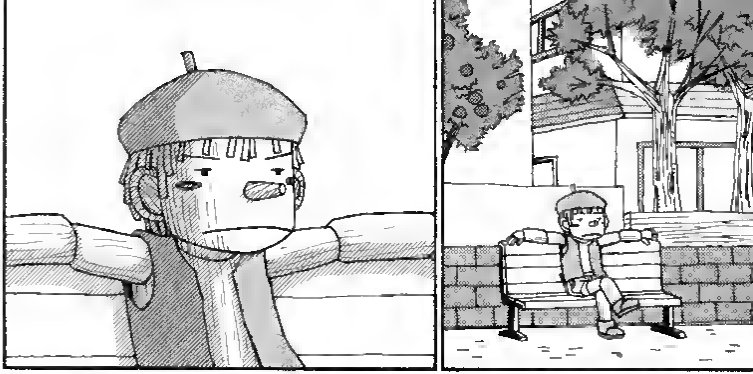
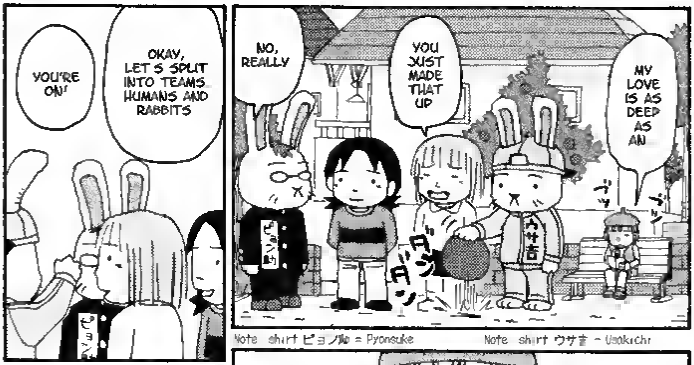
W-WHAT'S UP? TAKE A PICTURE, IT'LL LAST LONGER





Note: shirt ピョンスケ = Pyonsuke Note: shirt ウサぎ = Usakichi

YOU CAN EAT IT FOR ALL I CARE.
C MON!
UNTHINK-ABLE
DON'T BREAK YOUR GLASSES
HEY, TAKE IT EASY
SAY THAT AGAIN AND GET A PAW IN YOUR KISSER PAL
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NO SELF-RESPECTING INTELLIGENT MASCOT WOULD EVER HOMESTAY
HUH? WHAT?
IT'S SO STUPID AND POINTLESS
AREN'T YOUR BIG SILLY EARS SUPPOSED TO HAVE GOOD HEARING?
I SAID, THE CONTEST WHERE THEY AWARD 1ST PRIZE TO THE MASCOT WHO CAN SUCK UP TO KIDS THE MOST IS THAT WAY
WHAT?
THEY'RE HAVING THE HALLOWEEN COSTUME COMPETITION THAT WAY
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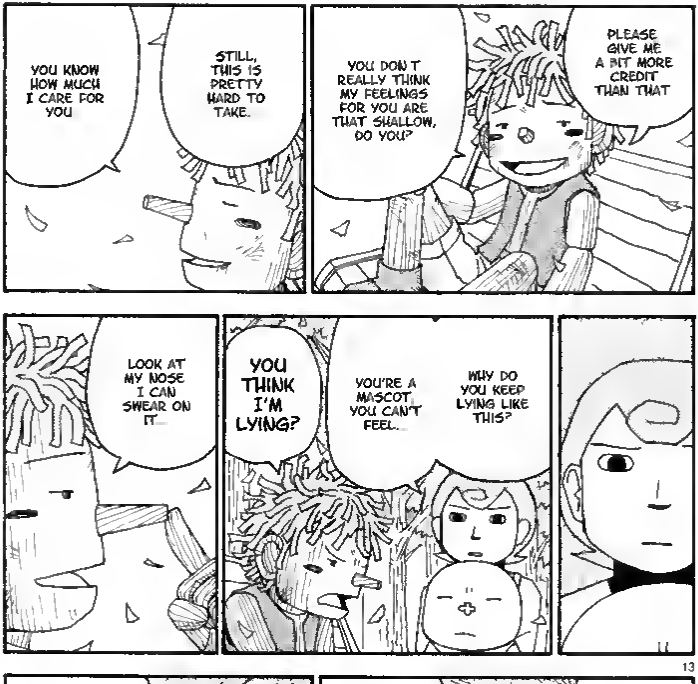
YOU WANT A BEATING? WELL YOU JUST EARNED ONE, PLINK.
crik crack
ALL RIGHT, SCHMUCK.

SO, YOU FINALLY CAME
WHAT HAPPENED TO YOUR FACE?
SO STUPID
I SEE WHAT'S GOING ON...
OH OH...
YOU'LL JUST HAVE TO FACE THE FACTS, I'M AFRAID...
W-WE'VE BEEN TOGETHER FOR QUITE A WHILE NOW


YOU KNOW HOW MUCH I CARE FOR YOU
STILL, THIS IS PRETTY HARD TO TAKE.
YOU DON'T REALLY THINK MY FEELINGS FOR YOU ARE THAT SHALLOW, DO YOU?
PLEASE GIVE ME A BIT MORE CREDIT THAN THAT
LOOK AT MY NOSE I CAN SWEAR ON IT...
YOU THINK I'M LYING?
YOU'RE A MASCOT, YOU CAN'T FEEL...
WHY DO YOU KEEP LYING LIKE THIS?

I TOOK A LOOK INTO YOUR PAST HOMESTAY RECORDS
I'VE STILL GOT SO MUCH TO TELL YOU...
C'MON, YOU AT LEAST GOTTA HEAR ME SPEAK MY WORDS OF LOVE.

I FOUND SOME-THING VERY INTER-ESTING
GOOD-BYE!
YOU HAVE FREELOADED FOUR TIMES
WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE FIRST TIME EVERY SESSION YOU LEFT BEFORE GRADUATION
STOP! DON'T TALK ABOUT IT!!
IN OTHER WORDS, YOUR LAST THREE STAYS HAVE ENDED WITH MISFORTUNE
BE QUIET, BE QUIET!

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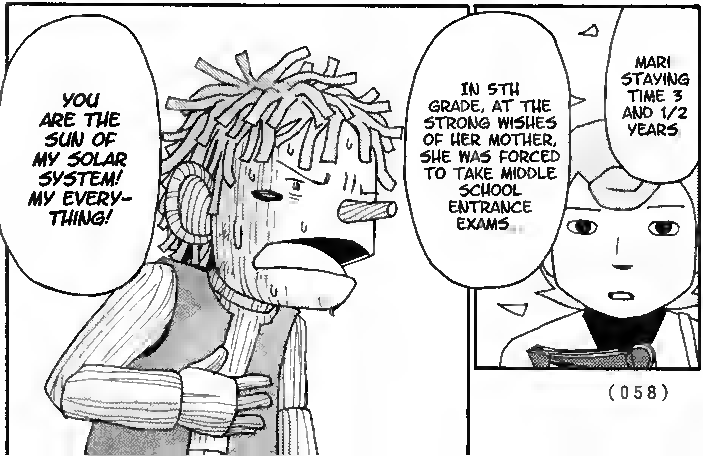
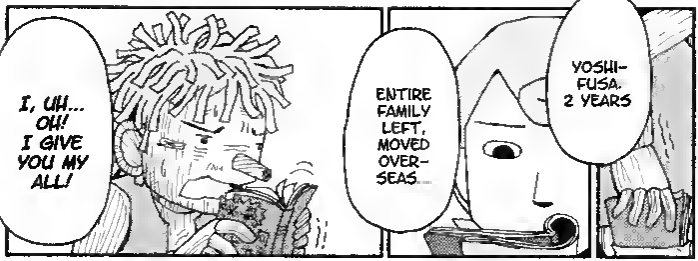
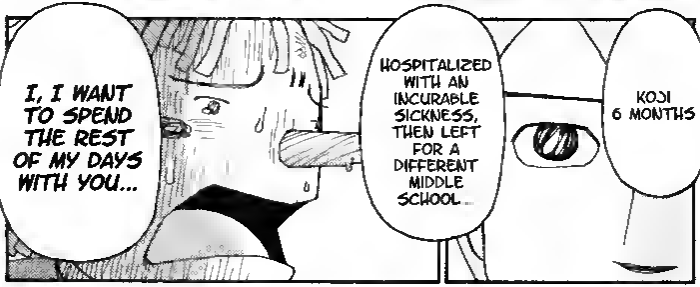
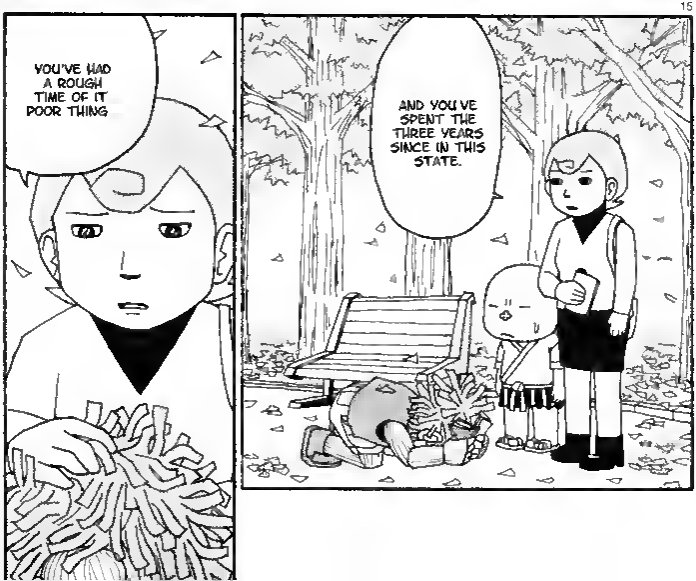
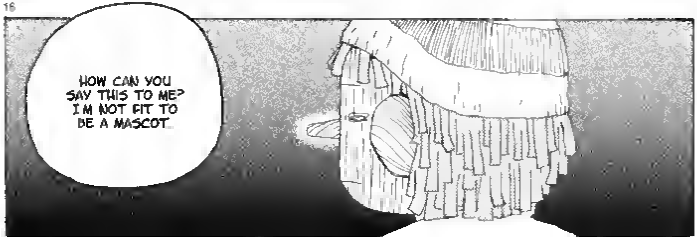

MARI STAYING TIME 3 AND 1/2 YEARS
IN 5TH GRADE, AT THE STRONG WISHES OF HER MOTHER, SHE WAS FORCED TO TAKE MIDDLE SCHOOL ENTRANCE EXAMS...
YOU ARE THE SUN OF MY SOLAR SYSTEM! MY EVERY-THING!


I, UH... OH! I GIVE YOU MY ALL!
ENTIRE FAMILY LEFT, MOVED OVER-SEAS...
YOSHI-FUSA. 2 YEARS

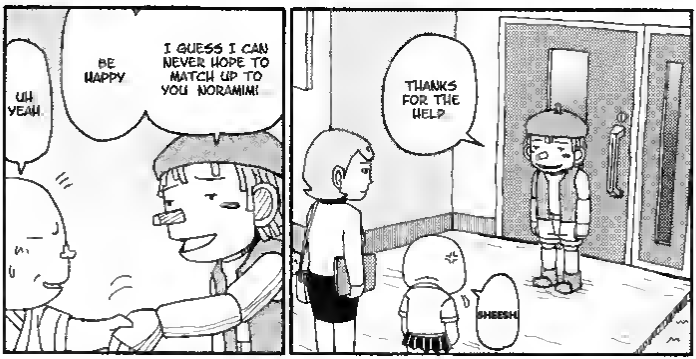

I, I WANT TO SPEND THE REST OF MY DAYS WITH YOU...
HOSPITALIZED WITH AN INCURABLE SICKNESS, THEN LEFT FOR A DIFFERENT MIDDLE SCHOOL...
KOJI 6 MONTHS


YOU'VE HAD A ROUGH TIME OF IT POOR THING
AND YOU'VE SPENT THE THREE YEARS SINCE IN THIS STATE.

THERE ARE CHILDREN WAITING FOR YOU. WILL YOU MEET THEM?
THIS IS THE ONLY PLACE YOUR TRUE FEELINGS LIE.
Hello, Kids
BUT YOU CAN'T JUST HARASS ME AND TELL ME ABOUT THIS LOVE THAT YOU'RE NOT CAPABLE OF FEELING...
MY NOSE HAS ALLOWED ME TO TELL ALL THE LIES IN THE WORLD...
EVER SINCE THAT FIRST TIME,
WELL, I GOT NOTHIN' TO SAY TO YOU.
OH, YEAH?
GLAD TO BE OUTTA HERE
HECK, I DON'T EVEN WANT TO BE HERE
AND IN RETURN, IT ROBBED ME OF THE ABILITY TO DO MY JOB AS A MASCOT...
IT SET ME AT EASE.


HOW CAN YOU SAY THIS TO ME? I'M NOT FIT TO BE A MASCOT...

FREELOADING CAN EAT IT, FOR ALL I CARE


UH YEAH
BE HAPPY
I GUESS I CAN NEVER HOPE TO MATCH UP TO YOU NORAMIN!
THANKS FOR THE HELP
SHEESH

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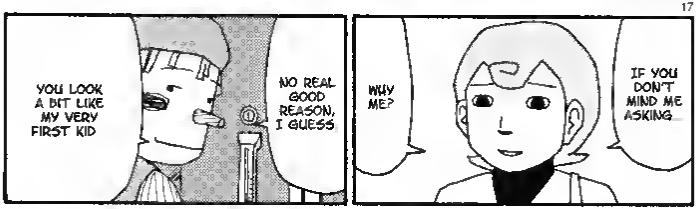
YOU LOOK A BIT LIKE MY VERY FIRST KID
NO REAL GOOD REASON, I GUESS
WHY ME?
IF YOU DON'T MIND ME ASKING

LOOK, HERE HE IS!
YOU'VE GOT THE SAME COWLICK
Good morning
I LOVE YOU DEAR
HOPE YOU STAY BY MY SIDE FOREVER
THANKS FOR YOUR HELP, NORAMIMI
I'M THE TASTE-MAKER FOR THE NEXT GENER-ATION
THE KITSCHY COOL NICE GUY
IT'S NO FUN BEING ADORED BY GROWN-UPS!

FALL BREEZE, LIES AND SECRETS = THE END

Mascot File

ID No.	01046718
Type	Pinocchio (Robot - Human)
Name	Wooden **Asunaro**

No. of Families Serviced	4
Special Skills	By lying, his nose lengthens.
Favorite Food	Essentially does not eat. Vegetarian.
Motto	Little white lies make the world go 'round.
Preferred Family	I bet a nice little girl will really make my homestay experience nice.
Message	If you choose me, I'm sure I can make your everyday life just a bit more fun than it already is.
Further Notes	Be wary of water damage. His lies are very easy to distinguish.

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Mascot File

ID No.	00011939
Type	Cat
Name	Cat in a Hat **Peechoo**

No. of Families Serviced	6
Special Skills	Hat design
Favorite Food	Squid noodles.
Motto	The bigger, the better
Preferred Family	Peechoo is for girls
Message	I'm a cat who loves hats. Represent!
Further Notes	Loves hats.

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THEY DON'T SCANLATE ONE PIECE ANYMORE, BUT MANGA SCREENER IS STILL THE HOME OF THE BEST MANGA ON THE NET!
MANGASCREENER

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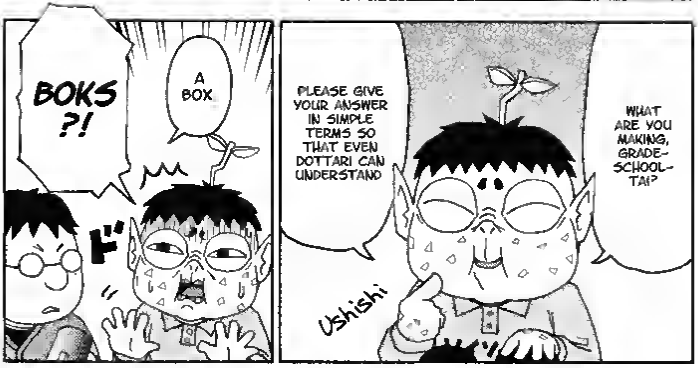
DOTTARI'S LOVELY LIFESTYLE


BOKS ?!
A BOX
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PLEASE GIVE YOUR ANSWER IN SIMPLE TERMS SO THAT EVEN DOTTARI CAN UNDERSTAND
WHAT ARE YOU MAKING, GRADE-SCHOOL-TAI?
Ushishi

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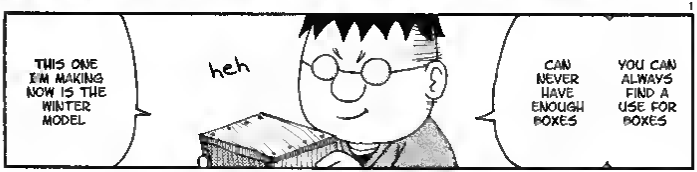

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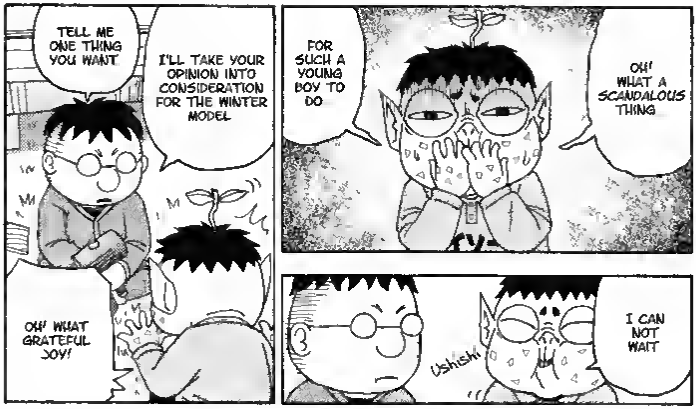
TELL ME ONE THING YOU WANT
I'LL TAKE YOUR OPINION INTO CONSIDERATION FOR THE WINTER MODEL
OH! WHAT GRATEFUL JOY!
FOR SUCH A YOUNG BOY TO DO
OH! WHAT A SCANDALOUS THING
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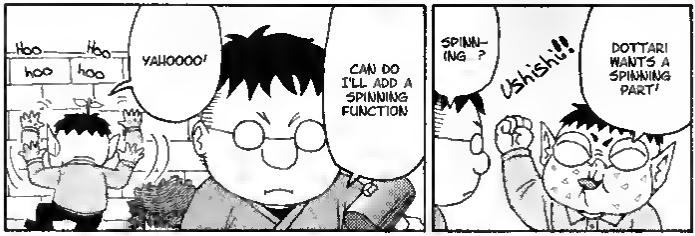
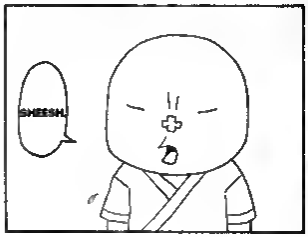
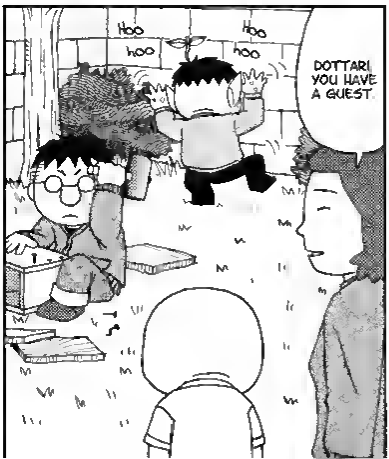
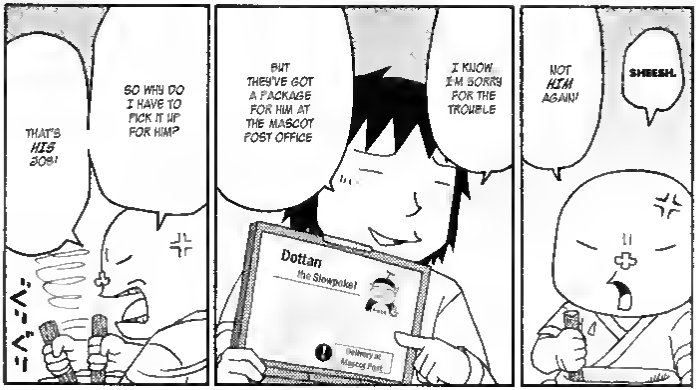
I CAN NOT WAIT

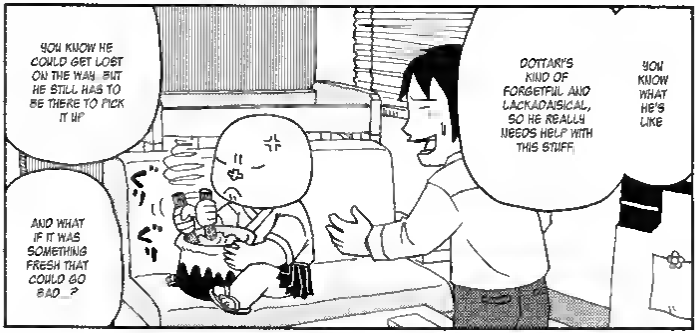

Hoo hoo Hoo hoo
YAHOOOO!
CAN DO I'LL ADD A SPINNING FUNCTION
SPINN-ING ?
Ushish!!
DOTTARI WANTS A SPINNING PART!

THE APPRENTICE PRIEST
OH,


SHEESH


Hoo hoo Hoo hoo
DOTTARI YOU HAVE A GUEST


SHEESH.
NOT HIM AGAIN!
I KNOW. I'M SORRY FOR THE TROUBLE
BUT THEY'VE GOT A PACKAGE FOR HIM AT THE MASCOT POST OFFICE
Dottan
the Slowpoke!
Delivery at Mascot Post
SO WHY DO I HAVE TO PICK IT UP FOR HIM?
THAT'S HIS JOB!


YOU KNOW HE COULD GET LOST ON THE WAY, BUT HE STILL HAS TO BE THERE TO PICK IT UP
AND WHAT IF IT WAS SOMETHING FRESH THAT COULD GO BAD...?
DOTTAR'S KIND OF FORGETFUL AND LACKADAISICAL, SO HE REALLY NEEDS HELP WITH THIS STUFF.
YOU KNOW WHAT HE'S LIKE

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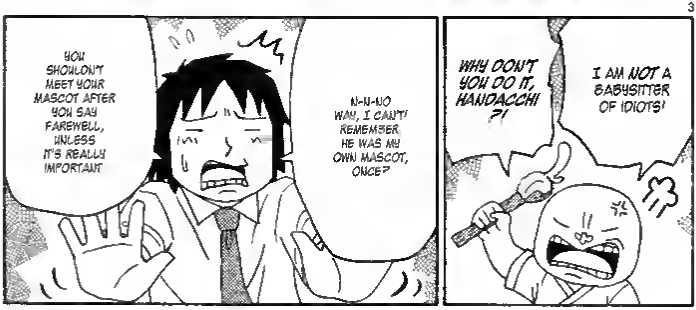
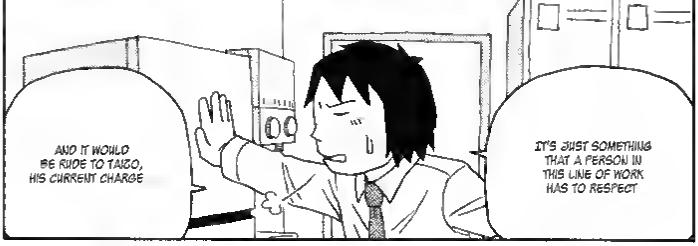
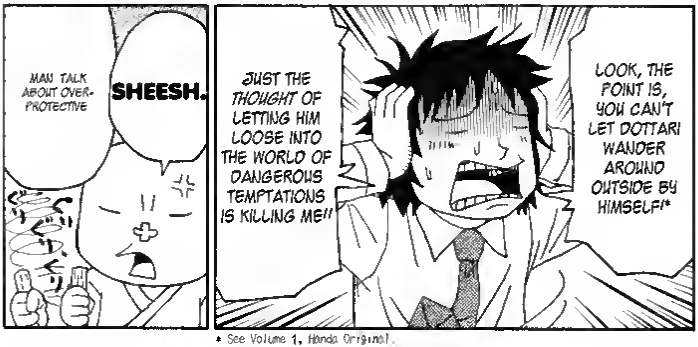
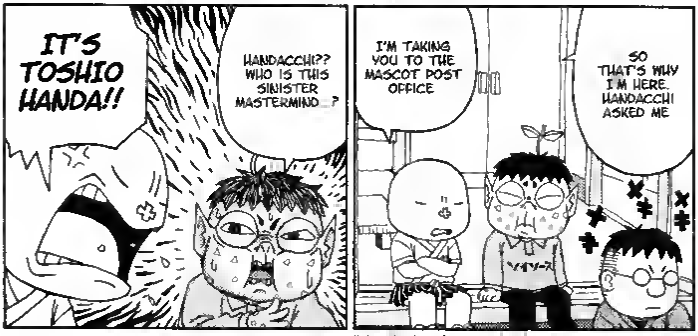

YOU SHOULDN'T MEET YOUR MASCOT AFTER YOU SAY FAREWELL, UNLESS IT'S REALLY IMPORTANT
N-N-NO WAY, I CAN'T REMEMBER HE WAS MY OWN MASCOT, ONCE?
WHY DON'T YOU DO IT, HANDACCHI ?!
I AM NOT A BABYSITTER OF IDIOTS!

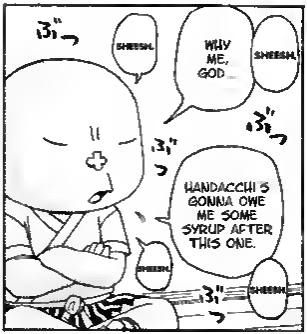


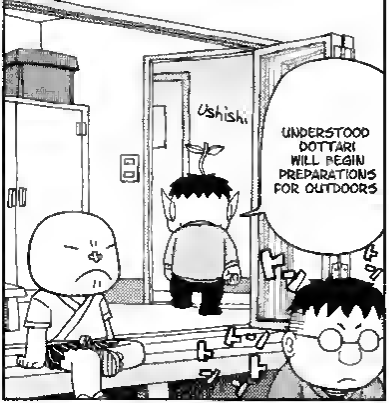

MAN TALK ABOUT OVER-PROTECTIVE
SHEESH.
JUST THE THOUGHT OF LETTING HIM LOOSE INTO THE WORLD OF DANGEROUS TEMPTATIONS IS KILLING ME!!
LOOK, THE POINT IS, YOU CAN'T LET DOTTARI WANDER AROUND OUTSIDE BY HIMSELF!*

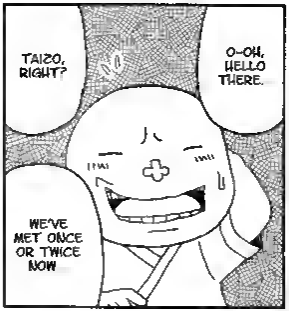
* See Volume 1, Handa Original.

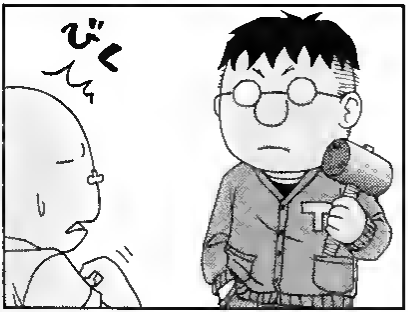

IT'S TOSHIO HANDA!!
HANDACCHI?? WHO IS THIS SINISTER MASTERMIND...?
I'M TAKING YOU TO THE MASCOT POST OFFICE
SO THAT'S WHY I'M HERE. HANDACCHI ASKED ME

Note: shirt ノイノース – soy sauce


SHEESH.
WHY ME, GOD...
SHEESH.
HANDACCHI'S GONNA OWE ME SOME SYRUP AFTER THIS ONE.
SHEESH.
SHEESH.


Ushish.
UNDERSTOOD DOTTARI WILL BEGIN PREPARATIONS FOR OUTDOORS


TAIZO, RIGHT?
O-OH, HELLO THERE.
WE'VE MET ONCE OR TWICE NOW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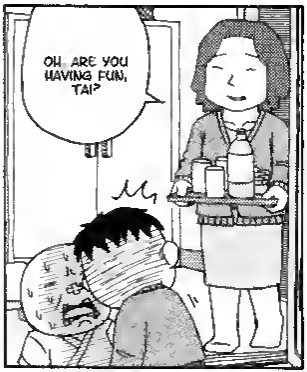
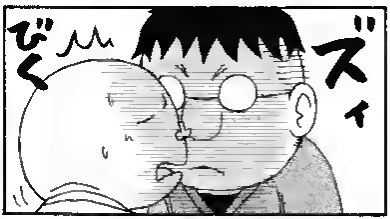

OH, ARE YOU HAVING FUN, TAI?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HMMM
D-DON'T STARE AT ME

COME AND HAVE A DRINK TOO, TAI.
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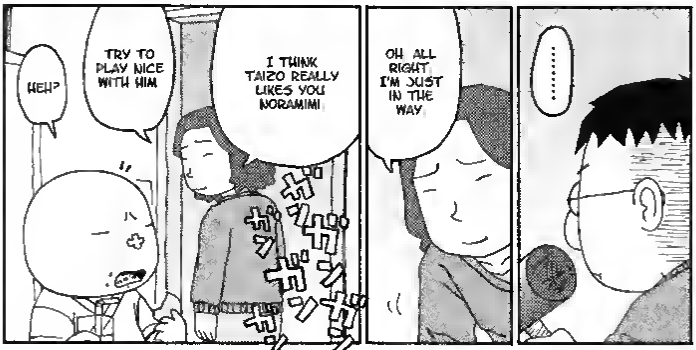
WHERE'S DOTTARI?
HE'S GETTING READY TO STEP OUT


HEH?
TRY TO PLAY NICE WITH HIM
I THINK TAIZO REALLY LIKES YOU NORAMIMI
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OH ALL RIGHT. I'M JUST IN THE WAY.
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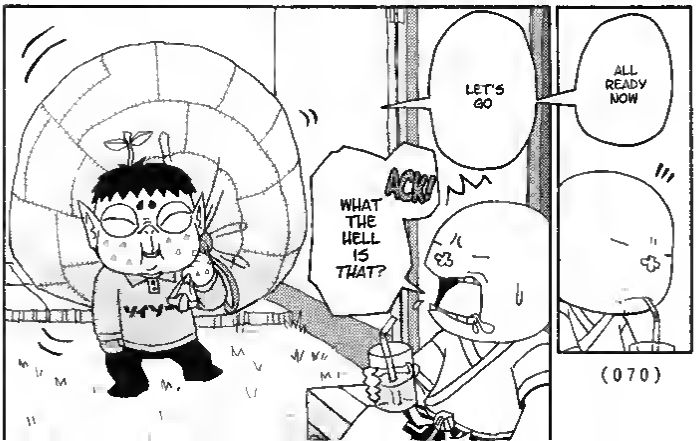
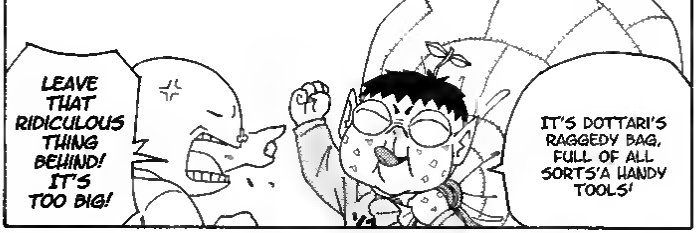
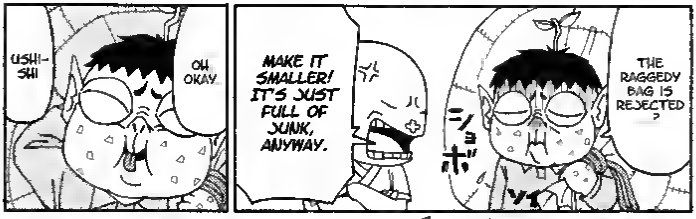
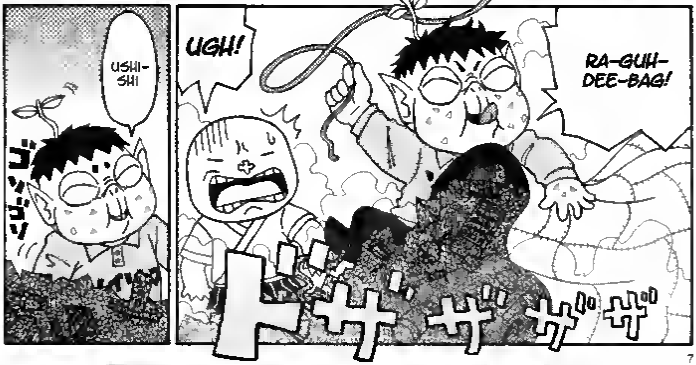

WHAT THE HELL IS THAT?
ACK!
LET'S GO
ALL READY NOW


LEAVE THAT RIDICULOUS THING BEHIND! IT'S TOO BIG!
IT'S DOTTARI'S RAGGEDY BAG, FULL OF ALL SORTS'A HANDY TOOLS!


USHI-SHI
OH OKAY.
MAKE IT SMALLER! IT'S JUST FULL OF JUNK, ANYWAY.
THE RAGGEDY BAG IS REJECTED ?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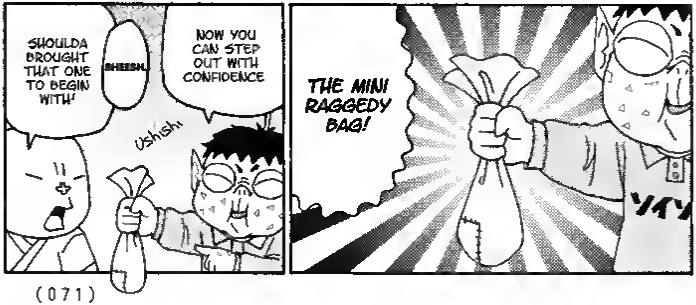
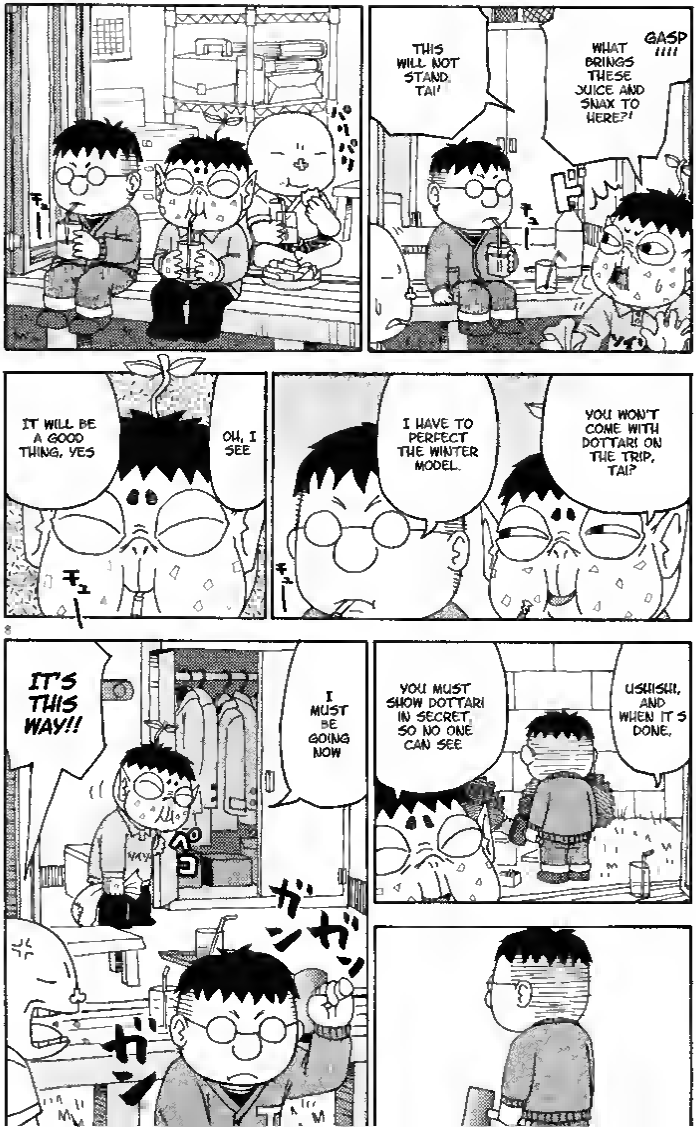
UGH!
RA-GUH-DEE-BAG!


SHOULDA BROUGHT THAT ONE TO BEGIN WITH!
SHEESH.
NOW YOU CAN STEP OUT WITH CONFIDENCE
Ushish.
THE MINI RAGGEDY BAG!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THIS WILL NOT STAND, TAI!
WHAT BRINGS THESE JUICE AND SNAX TO HERE?!
GASP !!!!
IT WILL BE A GOOD THING, YES
OH, I SEE
I HAVE TO PERFECT THE WINTER MODEL.
YOU WON'T COME WITH DOTTARI ON THE TRIP, TAI?
IT'S THIS WAY!!
I MUST BE GOING NOW
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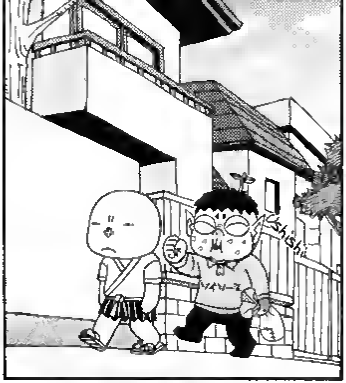
YOU MUST SHOW DOTTARI IN SECRET, SO NO ONE CAN SEE
USHISHI, AND WHEN IT'S DONE,

WHAT IS THIS PRESENT FOR DOTTARI?
MR APPRENTICE PRIEST

FIND OUT FOR YOUR-SELF.
HOW SHOULD I KNOW?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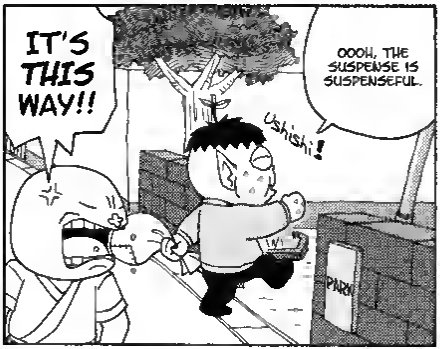
PLEASE, DON'T SCOLD DOTTARI SO...
WHAT A TOTAL MORON
SMEESH
Ushishi


IT'S THIS WAY!!
OOOH, THE SUSPENSE IS SUSPENSEFUL.
Ushishi!
PARK

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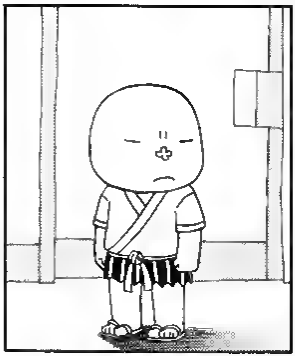
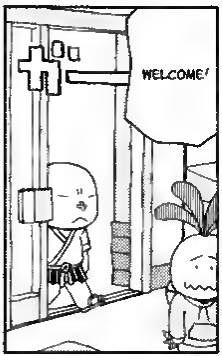
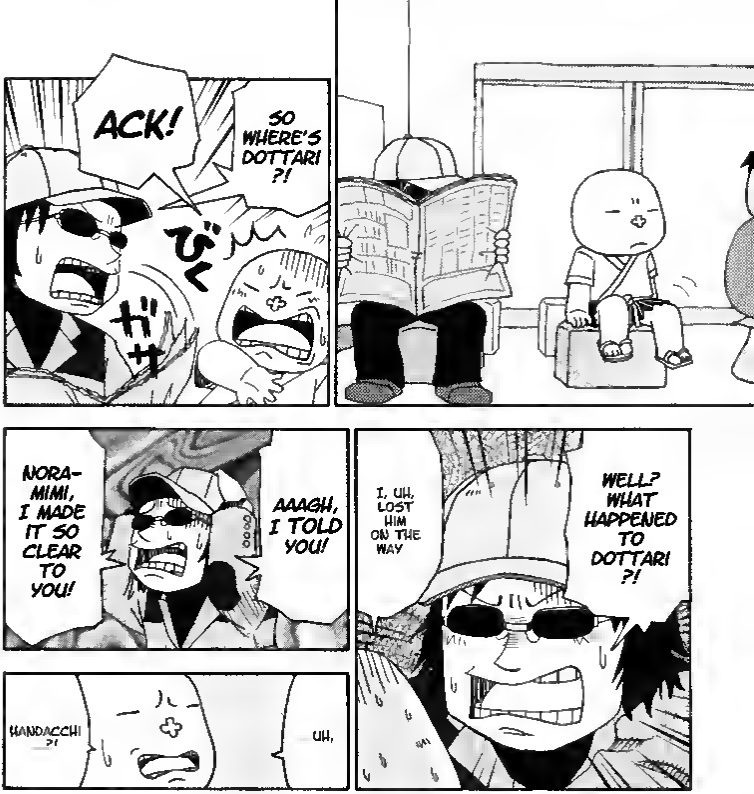



WELCOME!

Patriotic Mascot Post


ACK!
SO WHERE'S DOTTARI ?!
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NORA-MIMI, I MADE IT SO CLEAR TO YOU!
AAAGH, I TOLD YOU!
I, UH, LOST HIM ON THE WAY
WELL? WHAT HAPPENED TO DOTTARI ?!
HANDACCHI ?!
UH,

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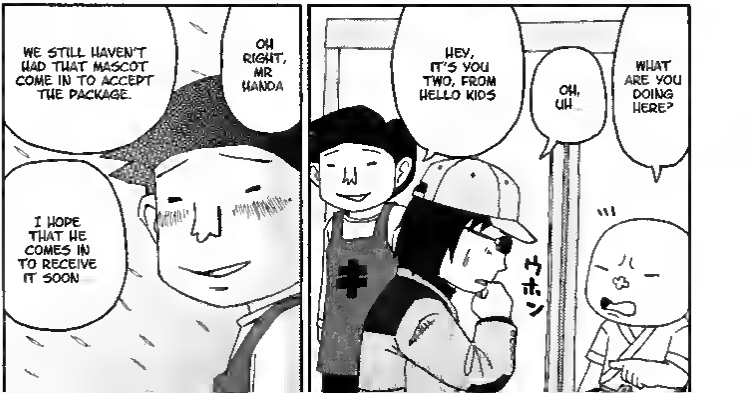
WE STILL HAVEN'T HAD THAT MASCOT COME IN TO ACCEPT THE PACKAGE.
OH RIGHT, MR HANDA
I HOPE THAT HE COMES IN TO RECEIVE IT SOON
HEY, IT'S YOU TWO, FROM HELLO KIDS
OH, UH
WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?
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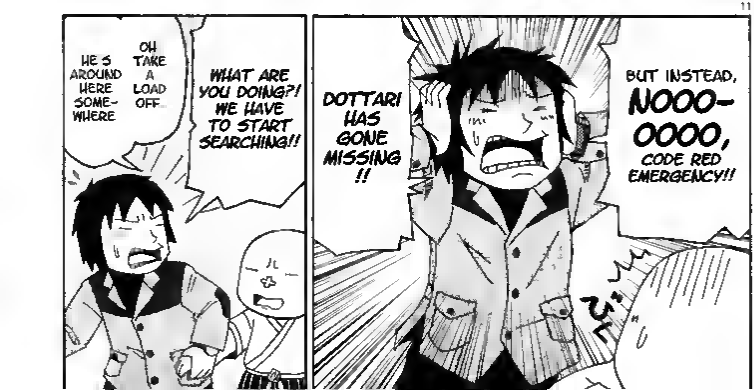
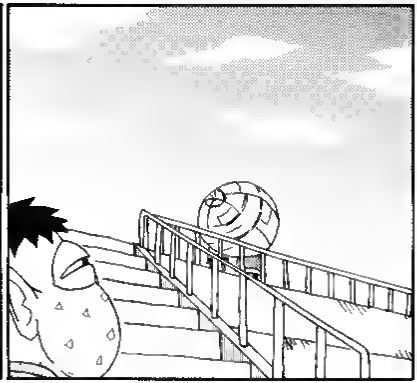
A LITTLE PRESENT...
W-WELL YEAH
I JUST WANTED TO SEND HIM...
YOU, HANDA-CCHI?!
IS THIS PACKAGE HE'S GETTING FROM...
OH!
YOU'RE KIDDING
WITH WANTING TO SEE HIM GET IT
AND THEN THERE COULDN'T BE A PROBLEM
IF IT HAPPENS IT HAPPENS
MAYBE WE'D EVEN TRADE A FEW WORDS...
AND HEY,


HE'S AROUND HERE SOME-WHERE
OH TAKE A LOAD OFF
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?! WE HAVE TO START SEARCHING!!
DOTTARI HAS GONE MISSING !!
BUT INSTEAD, NOOO-OOOO, CODE RED EMERGENCY!!

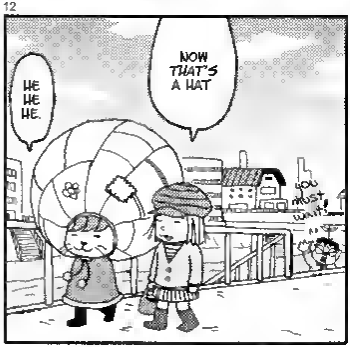
LOTS OF FISHIES FLOATING ABOUT

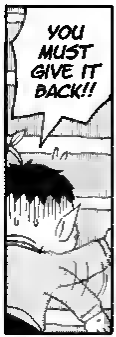
USHI-SHI

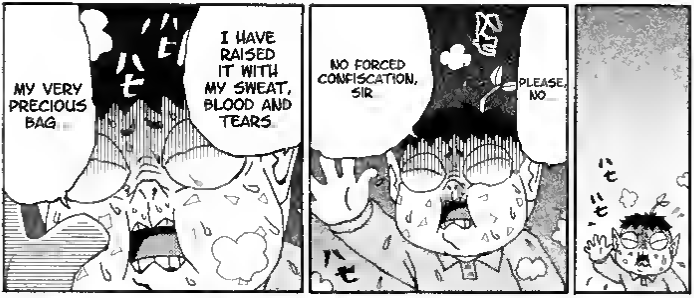
HEY, THE RAGGEDY BAG



MY BOLD PREDICTION! TONIGHT'S DINNERFAST WILL BE PUDDING
HEE HEE!


HE HE HE.
NOW THAT'S A HAT


YOU MUST GIVE IT BACK!!


MY VERY PRECIOUS BAG...
I HAVE RAISED IT WITH MY SWEAT, BLOOD AND TEARS
NO FORCED CONFISCATION, SIR
PLEASE, NO...
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THAT ARE ONLY USEFUL TO POOR DOTTAR!!!!!
IT'S FULL OF ALL SORTS OF USEFUL JUNKS,
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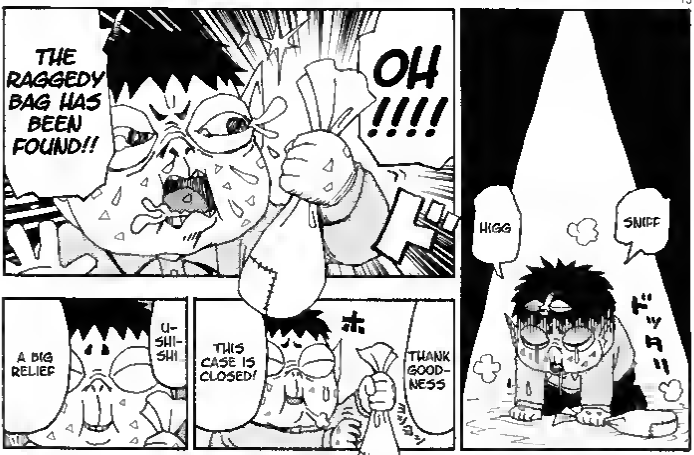
THE RAGGEDY BAG HAS BEEN FOUND!!
OH !!!!
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A BIG RELIEF
THIS CASE IS CLOSED!
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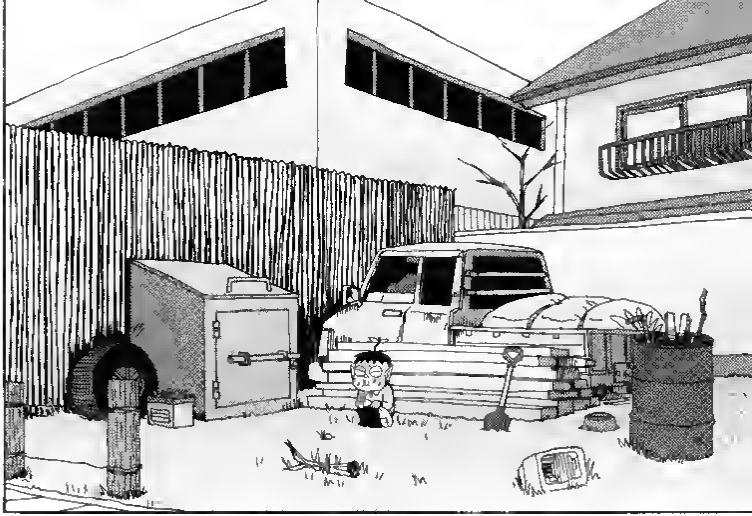
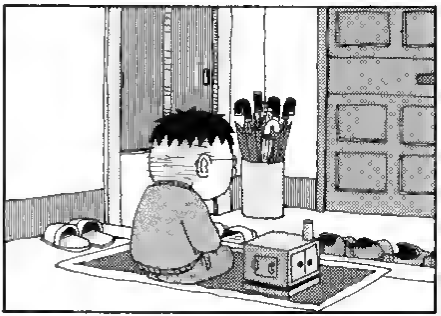
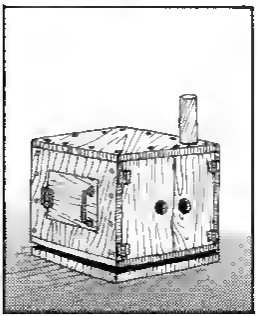
THANK GOOD-NESS

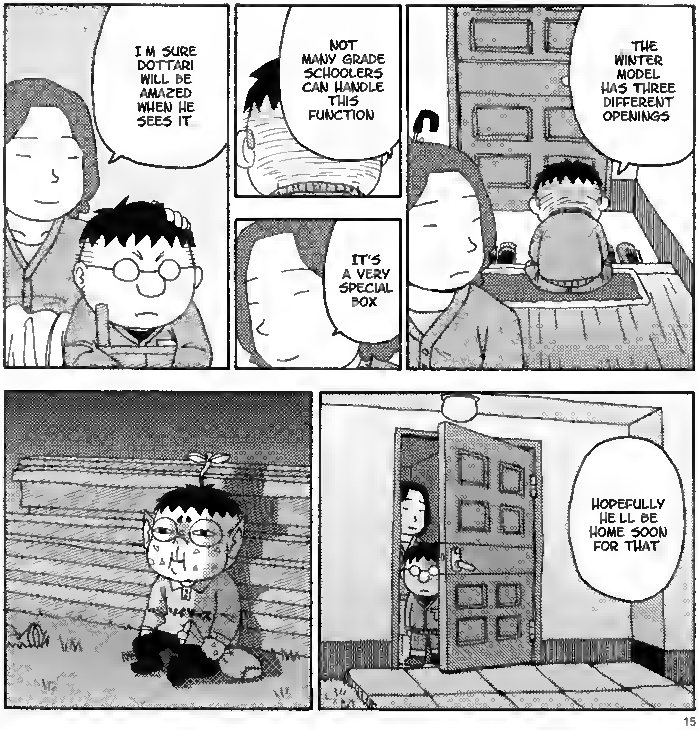


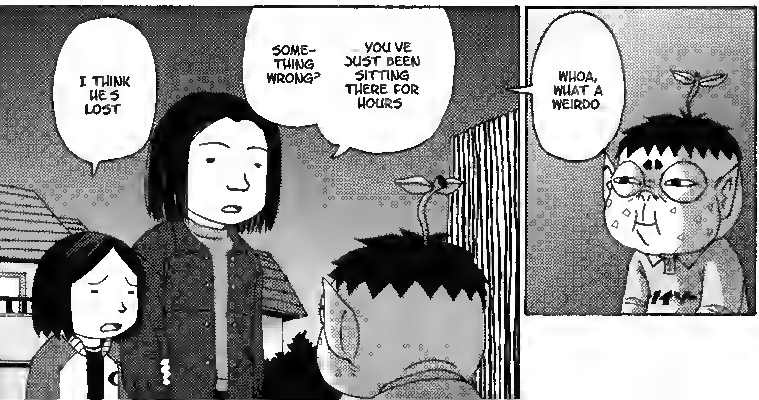




I FORGOT, I'M NOT SUPPOSED TO LOOK
I'M SORRY HONEY.

OH, IS THAT THE BOX YOU JUST MADE?


I'M SURE DOTTARI WILL BE AMAZED WHEN HE SEES IT
NOT MANY GRADE SCHOOLERS CAN HANDLE THIS FUNCTION
IT'S A VERY SPECIAL BOX
THE WINTER MODEL HAS THREE DIFFERENT OPENINGS
HOPEFULLY HE'LL BE HOME SOON FOR THAT


I THINK HE'S LOST
SOME-THING WRONG?
YOU'VE JUST BEEN SITTING THERE FOR HOURS
WHOA, WHAT A WEIRDO

WHERE'D YOU COME FROM?
THE BAG IS EMPTY
TOO BAD
HUH?
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IT'S GETTING DARK WANNA STAY AT OUR PLACE?
YEAH, COME ON OVER
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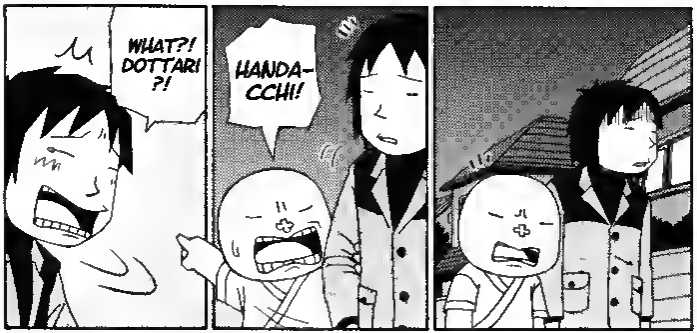
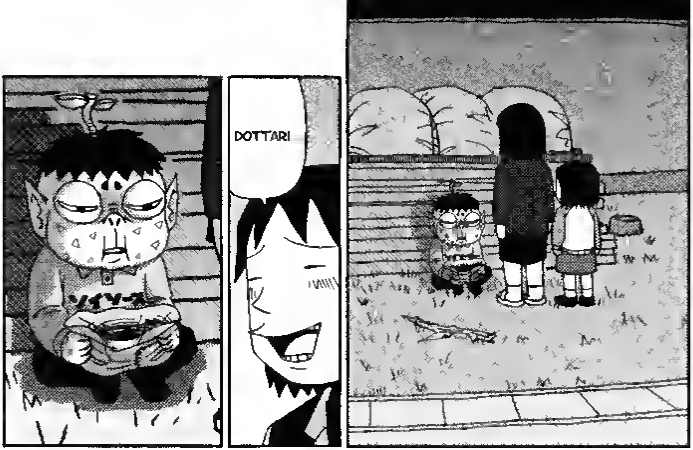
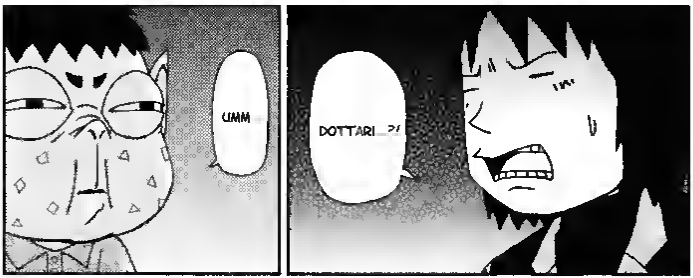

WHAT?! DOTTARI ?!
HANDA-CCHI!


DOTTARI


UMM
DOTTARI...?!

WAS JUST GOING BACK HOME.
DOTTARI

IN FACT, TAI IS TAIZO SAITO
DOTTARI IS GOING BACK TO TAI'S HOUSE
USHISHI, IT'S THAT WAY...
OH THEN I GUESS YOU CAN GET BACK HOME ON YOUR OWN
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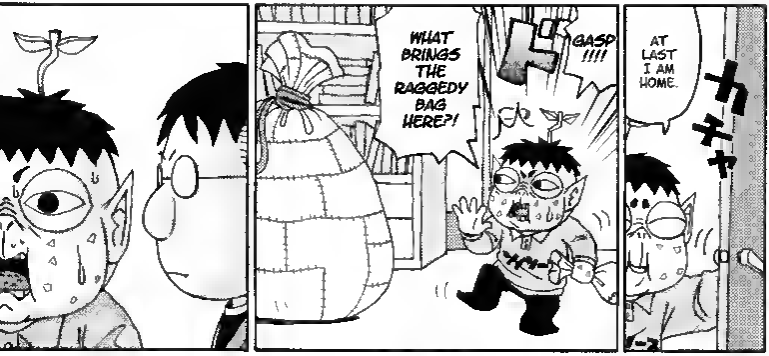
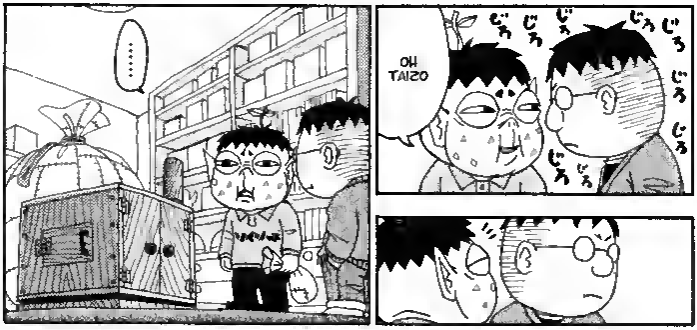
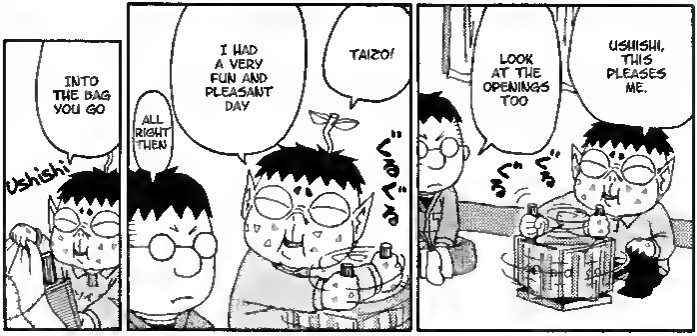
TOSHIO AND THE APPRENTICE PRIEST



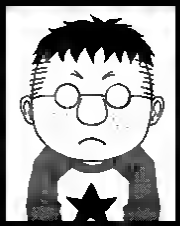




DOTTARI'S LOVELY LIFESTYLE = THE END

Home File

ID No.	H0291795
Name	Taizo Saito
Sex: Male	Age: 8



Family	Father, mother, older sister
Home Specifications	Private 2-story house, wooden, 4 rooms plus Living room, Dining room, Kitchen (No private room, sleep with child)
Allowance	500 yen/month. Periodic surprise treats
Availability	Immediately
Preferred Mascot	A weird kind. Green. Bumpy
Message	What's a mascot?
Further Notes	Sister is in 2nd year of High School, no mascot.

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THEY DON'T SCANLATE ONE PIECE ANYMORE, BUT MANGA SCREENER IS STILL THE HOME OF THE BEST MANGA ON THE NET!
MANGASCREENER

THE TERRIFYING SPOOKY MONSTER
STILL RAINING...
I'M BACK
ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A NEW HOME?
I'M SORRY FOR THE WAIT
WELCOME TO HELLO KIDS

AT SOME AGENCY OR ANOTHER
AND THEY SAY THAT SOMETIMES IT APPEARS, DURING THIS TIME OF YEAR WHEN THE RAINS NEVER STOP
THAT HE APPEARED EVERY BIT A TERRIFYING APPARITION
THE COSTUME WAS SO CONVINCING,
AAAAH!
"HE NEEDS STIMULATION." HE DECIDED TO DRESS UP LIKE A MONSTER TO SCARE THE BOY
YEARS AGO, THERE WAS A MASCOT WHO FELT UPSET WHEN HIS HOMESTAY CHILD WAS BORED ON RAINY DAYS
HE SUDDENLY REMEMBERED 'BOUT HIS HOME
WHEN THE MASCOT FINALLY GREW TIRED OF HIS GAME AND CAME BACK TO HIS SENSES
HOW LONG DID IT TAKE?
THE MONSTER RAN OUTSIDE AND DELIGHTED IN THE SOUND OF SCREAMS
AWAKENED TO THE PLEASURE OF SCARING HUMANS
AAAH!
EYAH!
THE COSTUME WOULD NOT COME OFF
BUT BY NOW,

WHEN THE STORMS COME, HE SEEKS SOLACE FROM THE RAINS IN THE MASCOT AGENCY.
AND UNABLE TO RETURN HOME THE MONSTER STILL ROAMS THE LAND TO THIS DAY.
TRY AS HE MIGHT THE LONG RAIN HAD SOAKED THE ARTIFICIAL SKIN AND SHRUNK IT TO HIS BODY.
NO THERE WAS NO WAY TO GET IT OFF. HE HAD BECOME THE MONSTER.
BWACK!
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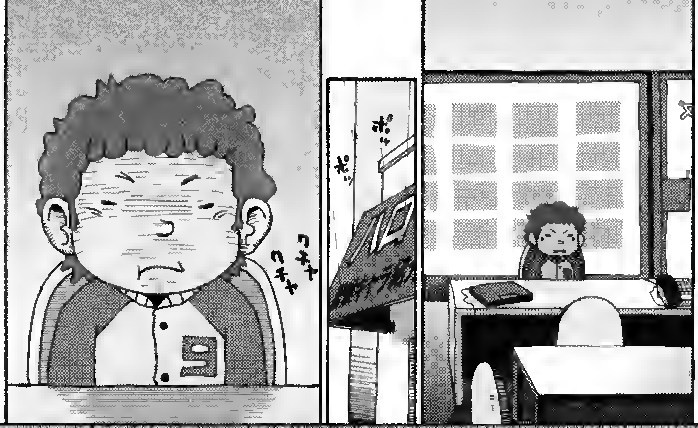
OH, HERE YOU ALL ARE!
AND AND THIS IS THE "SPOOKY MONSTER"?!
UH, OKAY
WATCH OUT, HANDA THIS MASCOT SEEMS TO BE A BIT OF AN ODDBALL.
OH, I'M SORRY
WHAT ARE YOU DOING BACK HERE? WE'VE GOT A CUSTOMER OUT FRONT!
IT'S JUST A CHILD
HUH?
WAIT, THERE'S NO MASCOT OUT THERE



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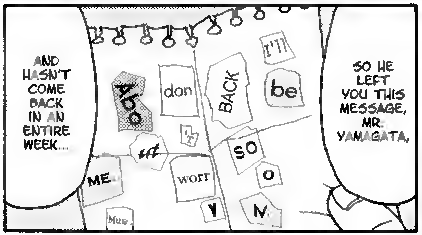
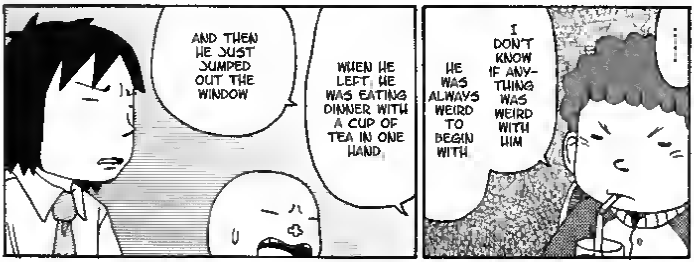
THE TERRIFYING SPOOKY MONSTER



THERE MUST BE SOME REASON FOR THIS.
IT CERTAINLY IS STRANGE.

HOW DID MUE SEEM TO YOU RECENTLY?
WELL, IT WOULD HELP IF WE HAD SOME SORT OF CLUE.
DID YOU NOTICE ANYTHING THAT MIGHT SUGGEST HE HAD SOME SORT OF PROBLEM BEFORE HE LEFT?
NO WE DIDN'T
AWWW GEEZ YOU HAD A FIGHT, DIDN'T YOU?


AND THEN HE JUST JUMPED OUT THE WINDOW
WHEN HE LEFT, HE WAS EATING DINNER WITH A CUP OF TEA IN ONE HAND.
HE WAS ALWAYS WEIRD TO BEGIN WITH.
I DON'T KNOW IF ANYTHING WAS WEIRD WITH HIM
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CAN YOU TELL ME MORE ABOUT WHAT KIND OF MASCOT HE WAS ?
MANABU,

I'M HOME
WELCOME BACK
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ALL YOU DO IS KNIT STUFF LATELY
ISN'T IT BORING?
SOMETIMES I WONDER
MAYBE I'M KNITTING JUST A BIT TOO MUCH
HYA HYA HYA HYA
JUST KIDDING
I'LL NEVER STOP KNITTING
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IT'S SO MUCH FUN
I'LL LEAVE YOUR LATE NIGHT MEAL HERE...MK
THANK YOU, AS ALWAYS

AHHH I'M STUFFED
ALL FULL FROM THAT MEAL
THAT WAS GREAT
YOU SURE EAT A LOT, MIE
YEAH, WELL I'VE GOT SUCH A BIG BODY
I HAVE TO EAT TWICE AS MUCH AS... NORMAL. MUNCH MUNCH
UMMM
MORE PLEASE
YOU'RE EATING EVEN MORE THAN USUAL TODAY
YEAH, I GUESS I'M HUNGRY
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YEOW-WWW!
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GEEZ, WHAT'S WITH YOU TODAY?
YOU'RE USUALLY WEIRD, BUT THIS IS ESPECIALLY WEIRD
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M-MWE, YOU'RE SHIVERING
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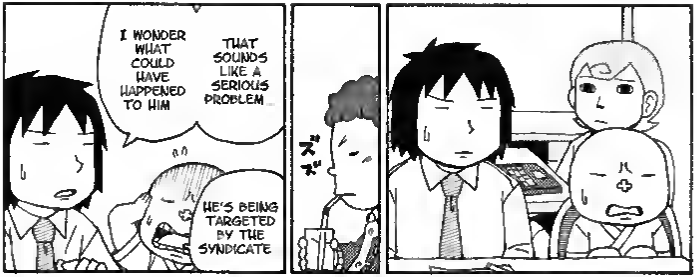
MWE-EEE!
I'LL BE BACK SOON
I'M SORRY, MANABU
AND THE NEXT MORNING, WE FOUND THAT NOTE IN THE MAIL
ISN'T IT WEIRD? SO WE HAVE TO LOOK FOR HIM


I WONDER WHAT COULD HAVE HAPPENED TO HIM
THAT SOUNDS LIKE A SERIOUS PROBLEM...
HE'S BEING TARGETED BY THE SYNDICATE
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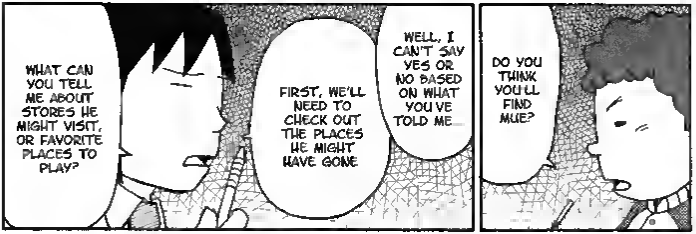
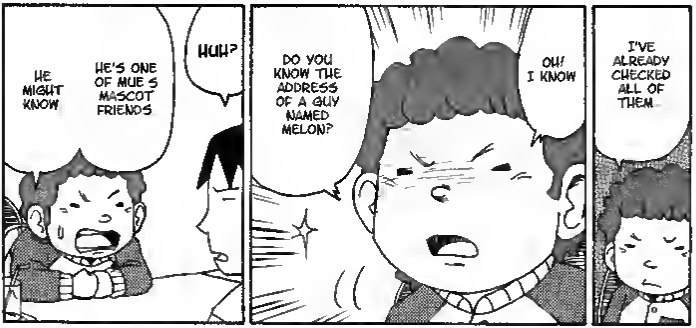
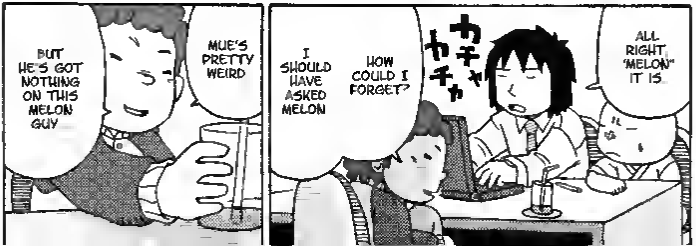

WHAT CAN YOU TELL ME ABOUT STORES HE MIGHT VISIT, OR FAVORITE PLACES TO PLAY?
FIRST, WE'LL NEED TO CHECK OUT THE PLACES HE MIGHT HAVE GONE
WELL, I CAN'T SAY YES OR NO BASED ON WHAT YOU'VE TOLD ME...
DO YOU THINK YOU'LL FIND MUE?


HUH?
HE MIGHT KNOW
HE'S ONE OF MUE'S MASCOT FRIENDS
DO YOU KNOW THE ADDRESS OF A GUY NAMED MELON?
OH! I KNOW
I'VE ALREADY CHECKED ALL OF THEM...


BUT HE'S GOT NOTHING ON THIS MELON GUY...
MUE'S PRETTY WEIRD
I SHOULD HAVE ASKED MELON
HOW COULD I FORGET?
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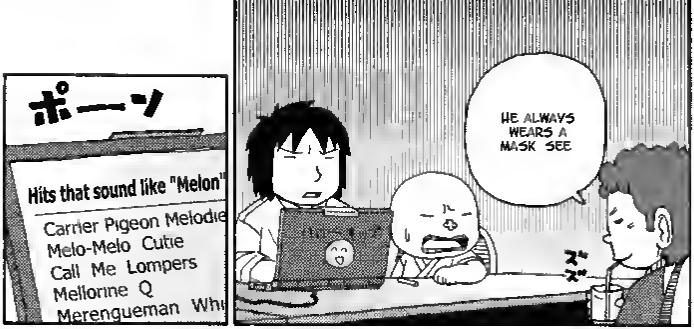
ALL RIGHT, "MELON" IT IS...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Hits that sound like "Melon"
Carrier Pigeon Melodie
Melo-Melo Cutie
Call Me Lompers
Mellorine Q
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HE ALWAYS WEARS A MASK SEE
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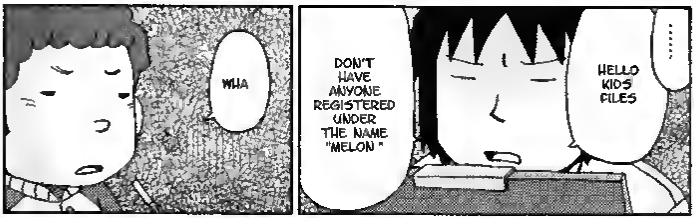
WHA
DON'T HAVE ANYONE REGISTERED UNDER THE NAME "MELON"
HELLO KIDS FILES
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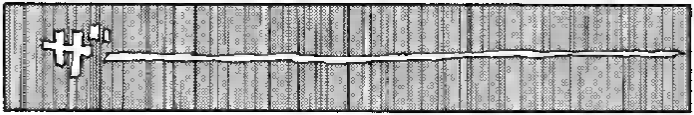
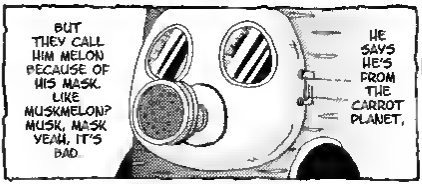
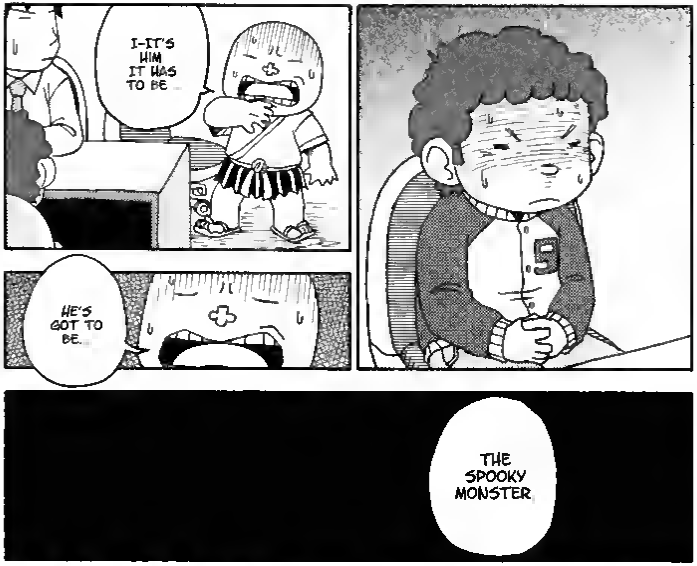



BUT THEY CALL HIM MELON BECAUSE OF HIS MASK. LIKE MUSK(MELON? MUSK, MASK YEAH, IT'S BAD
HE SAYS HE'S FROM THE CARROT PLANET,

MELON ALWAYS LOOKS(?) CONFUSED BUT THEN PLAYS WITH ME ANYWAY BEFORE HE LEAVES
FOR SOME REASON WHENEVER MELON COMES OVER MUE IS ALWAYS OUT

WHO SOME-TIMES COMES OVER
MELON IS A MASCOT FRIEND OF MUE'S

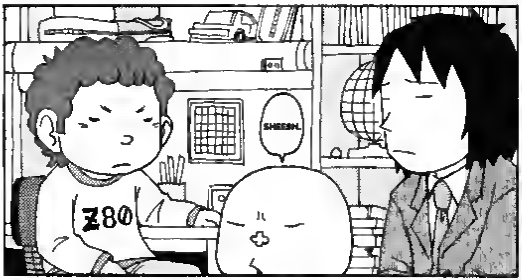
BUT OCCASIONALLY I NOTICED,
MELON WAS A PRETTY FUNNY GUY, SO I DIDN'T MIND PLAYING WITH HIM
I'LL CALL YOU MANABUN
SINCE WE'RE BETTER FRIENDS NOW.
IT WAS UNSETTLING.
THAT HE WAS STARING AT ME FROM BEHIND HIS MASK
NOW THAT YOU MENTION IT WAS HE REALLY FRIENDS WITH MUE?
ARE THEY REALLY FRIENDS?
AND YOU NEVER SAW THE TWO OF THEM TOGETHER AT ONE TIME
JUST WHO WAS HE, ANYWAY ...?

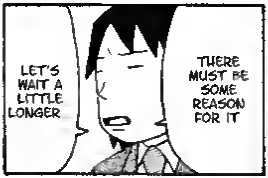

I-IT'S HIM IT HAS TO BE...
HE'S GOT TO BE...
THE SPOOKY MONSTER

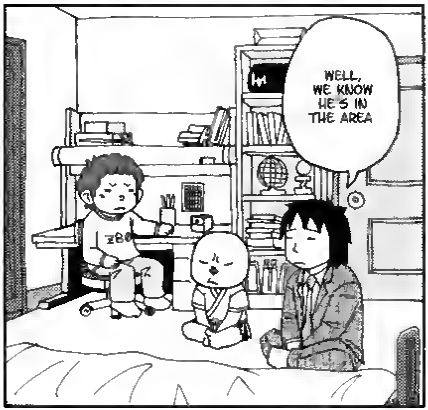
KE KE KE KE KE KE KE KE KE KE KE KE
W-WHAT'S THAT?!

WHAT IS IT, MOM?
WHERE ARE YOU?
MANABU
KE KE KE
beep
HELLO
I JUST LOOKED OUT THE KITCHEN WINDOW
WELL YOU SEE...
WHAT? HE WAS?!
BUT HE LOOKED SO SAD TO ME...
IT FRIGHTENED ME
AND MUE WAS PEEKING INSIDE

HOPEFULLY WE'LL MAKE IT IN TIME...
WHEN I TRIED TO CALL OUT HE RAN AWAY


SHEESH.


LET'S WAIT A LITTLE LONGER
THERE MUST BE SOME REASON FOR IT

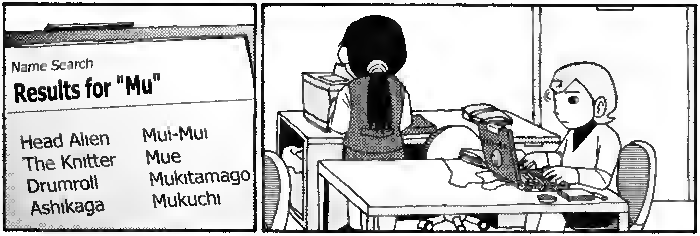

WELL, WE KNOW HE'S IN THE AREA

MUE.

RUSTLE
RATTLE
THUMP

THUNK

IN THERE
THERE'S SOME-THING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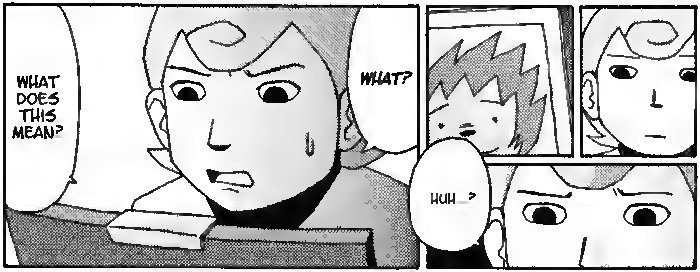
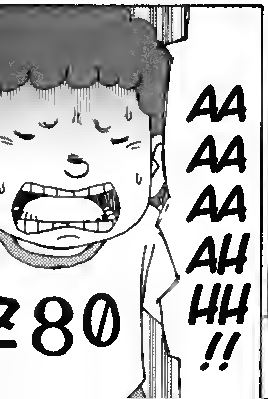
Results for "Mu"
Head Alien
The Knitter
Drumroll
Ashikaga
Mui-Mui
Mue
Mukitamago
Mukuchi


WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?
WHAT?
HUH...?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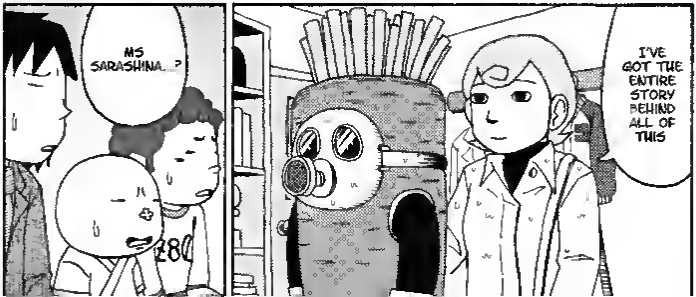
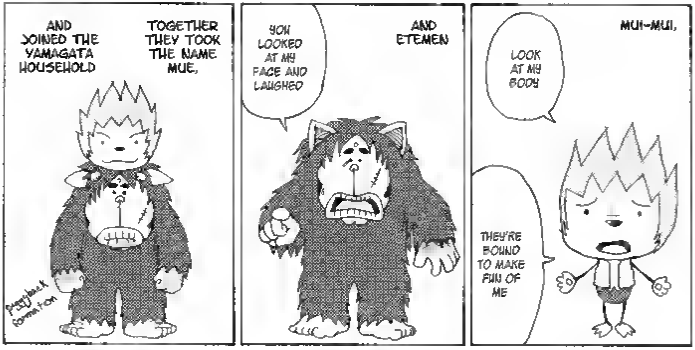
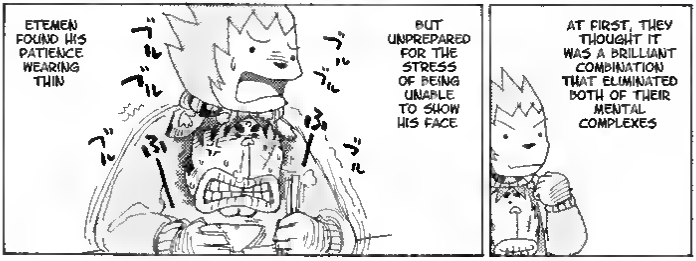
DON'T LOOK AT MEEE...

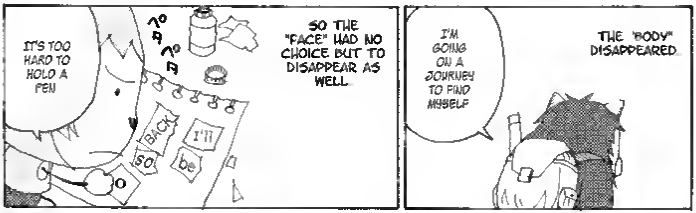
MELON...?!
HIS BODY'S SHRUNKEN


MS SARASHINA...?
I'VE GOT THE ENTIRE STORY BEHIND ALL OF THIS

SORRY
WHEN DID YOU COME BACK?
I GUESS YOU'LL JUST HAVE TO TAKE THE MASK OFF, WON'T YOU?
HUH?
WHO'S THAT?
YOU LOOKED AT MY FACE AND LAUGHED!
AHHH, I KNEW IT!


AND JOINED THE YAMAGATA HOUSEHOLD
TOGETHER THEY TOOK THE NAME MUE.
YOU LOOKED AT MY FACE AND LAUGHED
AND ETEMEN
MUI-MUI,
LOOK AT MY BODY
THEY'RE BOUND TO MAKE FUN OF ME


ETEMEN FOUND HIS PATIENCE WEARING THIN
BUT UNPREPARED FOR THE STRESS OF BEING UNABLE TO SHOW HIS FACE
AT FIRST, THEY THOUGHT IT WAS A BRILLIANT COMBINATION THAT ELIMINATED BOTH OF THEIR MENTAL COMPLEXES


IT'S TOO HARD TO HOLD A PEN
SO THE "FACE" HAD NO CHOICE BUT TO DISAPPEAR AS WELL
I'M GOING ON A JOURNEY TO FIND MYSELF
THE "BODY" DISAPPEARED
BACK
I'll
so
be

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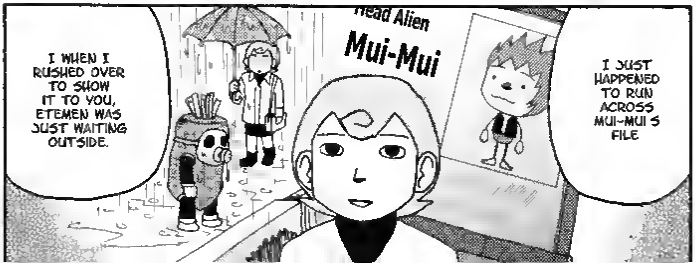
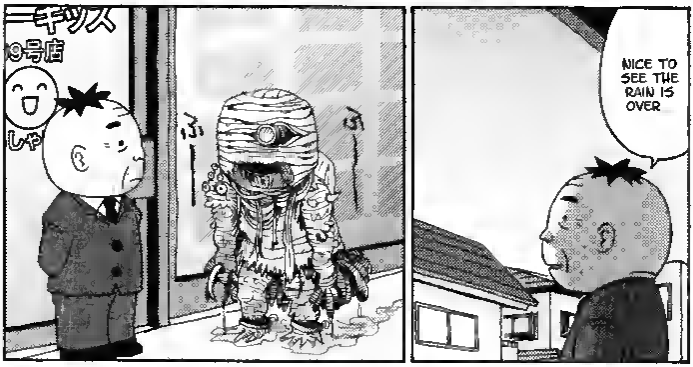

Head Alien
Mui-Mui
I WHEN I RUSHED OVER TO SHOW IT TO YOU, ETEMEN WAS JUST WAITING OUTSIDE.
I JUST HAPPENED TO RUN ACROSS MUI-MUI'S FILE

YES, THEY'VE DECIDED TO RETURN TO THEIR NORMAL FORMS AND REMAIN HERE AT THE YAMAGATAS
MAMABU IS VERY EXCITED ABOUT HAVING TWO MASCOTS, TOO
DOUBLE MASCOTS?! WELL, THEY'RE BOTH GOOD FRIENDS, SO THEY DON'T HAVE A PROBLEM

• The perils of multiple mascots in one home. Tragically avoided.



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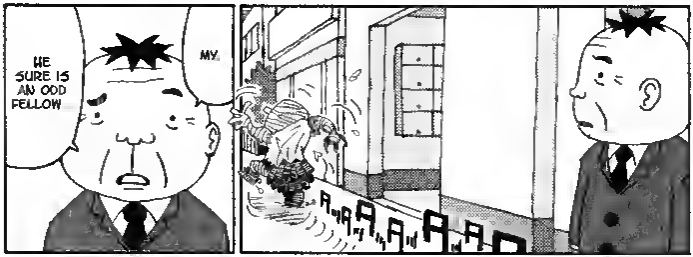

THE TERRIFYING SPOOKY MONSTER = THE END

Mascot File

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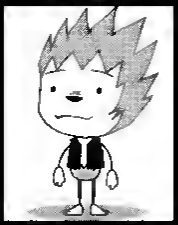
Type	Alien (Spook)
Name	Head Alien **Mui-Mui**



No. of Families Serviced	8
Special Skills	Head-butts. Memorizing train stations
Favorite Food	Omelette yakisoba.
Motto	Don't cover your head and leave your bottom exposed.
Preferred Family	A home where the child's room is on the 1st floor
Message	Go easy on me.
Further Notes	Incredibly small body in proportion to his head.

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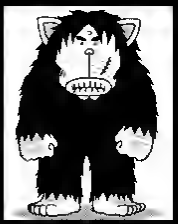
Mascot File

ID No.	00006015
Type	Monster (Spook)
Name	Mister Eternen



No. of Families Serviced	1
Special Skills	Knitting.
Favorite Food	Apple pie.
Motto	There's no accounting for taste.
Preferred Family	A home that will give me my own room.
Message	It's a pleasure to make your acquaintance.
Further Notes	Agile hands. Somewhat narve.

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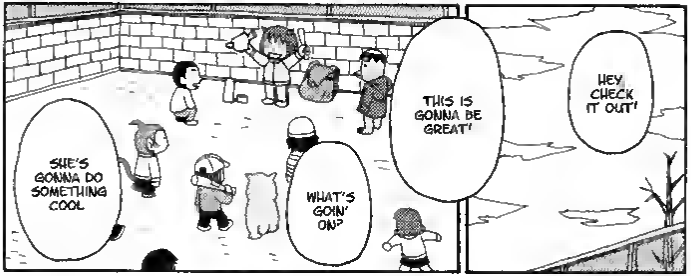
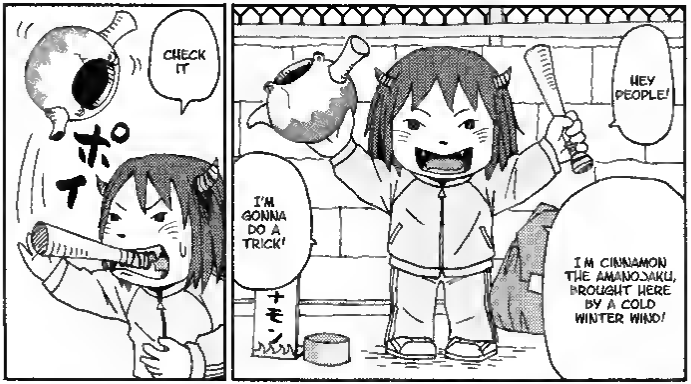
THEY DON'T SCANLATE ONE PIECE ANYMORE, BUT MANGA SCREENER IS STILL THE HOME OF THE BEST MANGA ON THE NET!
MANGASCREENER





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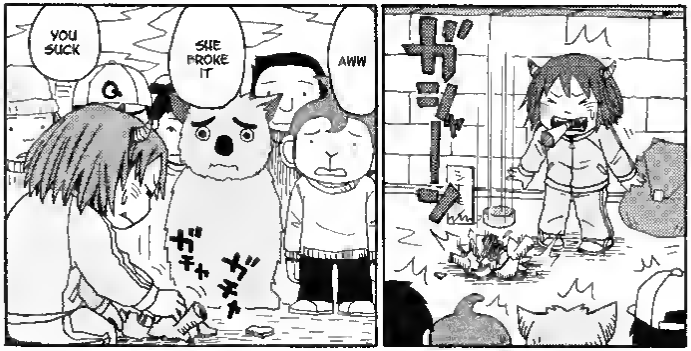
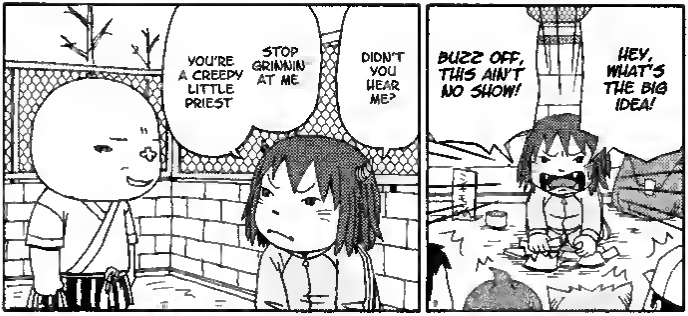
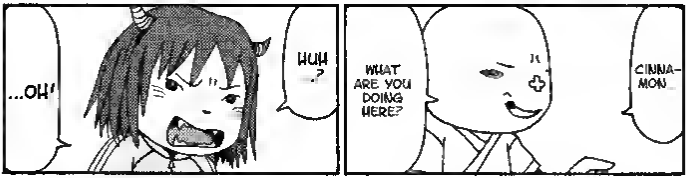


Note: Much like Noramimi's kaminari kozo, Cinnamon's amanojaku is a type of traditional Japanese ogre. In colloquial terms, "amanojaku" can refer to stubborn people who intentionally do the opposite of what others say or do.





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DID YOU GET IN TROUBLE?
WHAT THE HECK HAPPENED TO YOU? YOU LOOK RIDICULOUS
PUT NORA-MIMI,
I DIDN'T THINK I'D EVER SEE YOU AGAIN
I CAN'T BELIEVE IT
HOW LONG'S IT BEEN?
5 YEARS?
OH WELL THIS LOOK IS KINDA FUNNY, SO IT WORKS FOR ME
WHAT'S WRONG WITH BEING A KAMINARI KOZO? AS A FELLOW OGRE I'M VERY DISAPPOINTED
LOOK AT YOUR SCALP NOW
WELL UH SOME STUFF HAPPENED
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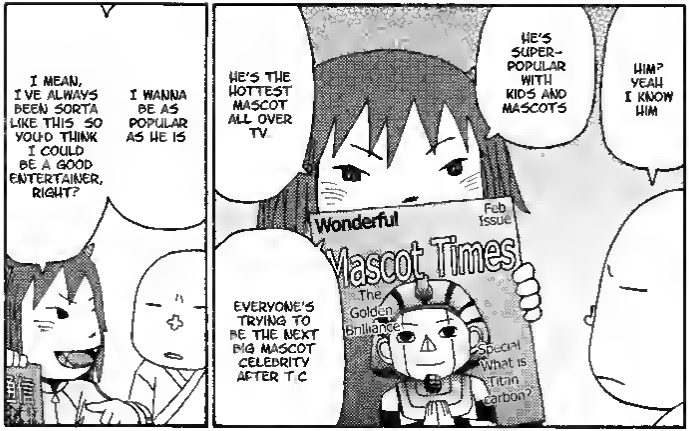
DO YOU KNOW TITANCARBON, BIG BROTHER?
ENTER-TAINER...?
I'M TRYING TO BE A MASCOT ENTERTAINER
HEH HEH
WELL, WHAT ARE YOU DOING, THEN?


I MEAN, I'VE ALWAYS BEEN SORTA LIKE THIS SO YOU'D THINK I COULD BE A GOOD ENTERTAINER, RIGHT?
I WANNA BE AS POPULAR AS HE IS
HE'S THE HOTTEST MASCOT ALL OVER TV
HE'S SUPER-POPULAR WITH KIDS AND MASCOTS
HIM? YEAH I KNOW HIM
Wonderful
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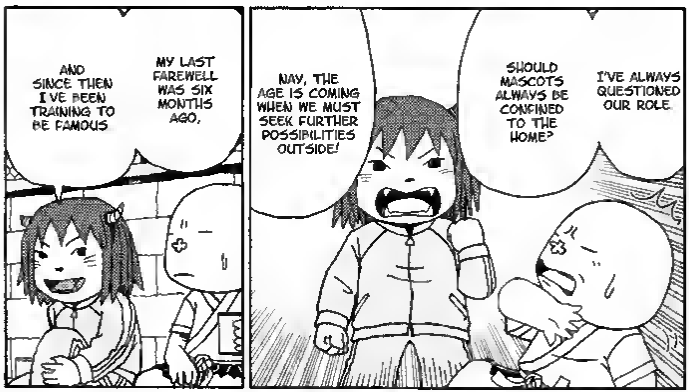
Mascot Times
The Golden Brilliance!
Special! What is Titan carbon?
EVERYONE'S TRYING TO BE THE NEXT BIG MASCOT CELEBRITY AFTER T.C


AND SINCE THEN I'VE BEEN TRAINING TO BE FAMOUS
MY LAST FAREWELL WAS SIX MONTHS AGO.
NAY, THE AGE IS COMING WHEN WE MUST SEEK FURTHER POSSIBILITIES OUTSIDE!
SHOULD MASCOTS ALWAYS BE CONFINED TO THE HOME?
I'VE ALWAYS QUESTIONED OUR ROLE.

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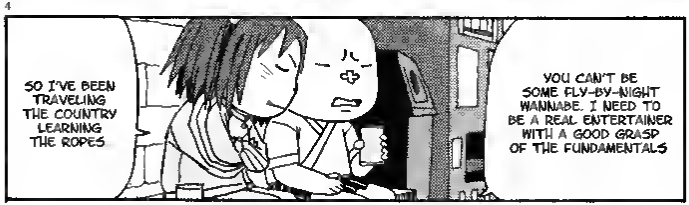
SO I'VE BEEN TRAVELING THE COUNTRY LEARNING THE ROPES
YOU CAN'T BE SOME FLY-BY-NIGHT WANNABE. I NEED TO BE A REAL ENTERTAINER WITH A GOOD GRASP OF THE FUNDAMENTALS

SO IT'S THE PERFECT CHANCE TO SHOW OFF MY CHOPS
AND THERE AREN'T MANY CONTESTS FOR MASCOTS
THEY'RE HAVING A "FUNNY MASCOT" CONTEST AROUND HERE TOMORROW
AND IT JUST HAPPENS THAT I ENDED UP HERE
3rd Annual FUNNY MASCOT CONTEST
THE POINT IS, I DON'T HAVE TIME FOR THAT NOW!
AND WHEN I GET FAMOUS, THEY'LL BE EVEN MORE OF A BOTHER, AND IF I'M NOT HAPPY THE KIDS AREN'T HAPPY!
KIDS ARE JUST AN OBSTACLE ON THE PATH OF HUMOR
OF COURSE NOT!
SO YOU'RE NOT HOMESTAYING RIGHT NOW?
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WHO ARE YOU CALLIN' AN AMANOJAKU?
I GUESS I JUST DON'T UNDERSTAND AMANOJAKU
MAN, YOU'VE ALWAYS BEEN WEIRD
HEH, WHATEVER
NO I AM DON'T BE STUPID
WHAT, AREN'T YOU AN AMANOJAKU? YOU'RE NOT?

IF YOU DON'T HAVE A PLACE TO STAY, YOU CAN SLEEP OVER AT MY PLACE
SO, WHAT ARE YOU DOING TODAY?
HUH?
AND YOU SAY I'VE ALWAYS BEEN WEIRD
THERE GOES YOUR "SHEESH" AGAIN
SHEESH.
YEAH RIGHT, I'M NOT GOING
ALL RIGHT, COME ALONG THEN
OH! WAIT, I CHANGED MY MIND I'LL STAY WITH YOU
SHE-ESH.
FINE. GOOD LUCK
I'LL STAY AT A MASCOT HOTEL.
NO, I CAN'T
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AWWWW
REALLY
SHE'S LIKE A LITTLE SISTER TO ME
SHE LIVED IN THE NEIGHBOR-HOOD WHEN I WAS HOME-STAYING YEARS AGO
SOOO, SHE'S A FRIEND OF YOURS, NORAMIMI?

SHEESH, THIS WAY
SHE'S A CUTIE
OH, THIS IS TOO GOOD
BIG BROTHER NORAMIMI!
WHOSE CHOICE OF LIVING ARRANGE-MENTS ARE SURREAL TO SAY THE LEAST
I'M CINNAMON, THE LITTLE SISTER WHO CAN'T HELP BUT FEEL SORRY FOR BIG BROTHER NORAMIMI.
HEHEHE, YOU KNOW WHAT THIS IS, CINNAMON?
OH, I GOT IT
THAT'S MY BED OVER THERE
WOW, THAT'S SO WEIRD
YOU REALLY DO LIVE HERE.
NOW YOU'RE SUCH A SOFTY.
I THOUGHT YOU LIKED KAMINARI-OKOSHI
GROSS, IT'S ALL STICKY AND GOOPY
IT'S SYRUP.
BUT NOW I CAN'T GET ENOUGH OF THE STUFF
I DIDN'T LEARN ABOUT THIS UNTIL I BECAME AN APPRENTICE PRIEST.

Note: 雷おこし (Kaminari-okoshi) are "lightning cakes" made of sweet rice and other stuff. He probably liked these back when he was a kaminari kozo.

I LIVE A STOIC LIFE, SEE
WHO ARE YOU TALKIN TO?
I MEAN EVERY NORMAL MASCOT DOES
SO
ARE YOU SURE YOU DON'T WANT TO HOMESTAY?
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DID YOU GET THAT SHOPPING DONE, NORAMIMI?
OH YEAH, YOU BET
LOSER
AND LOOK AT YOU YOU'RE NOT HOMESTAYING WITH A REAL FAMILY, EITHER
SHUT UP, HANDACCHI
LOOK AT BIG BROTHER NORAMIMI, PLAYING THE PART
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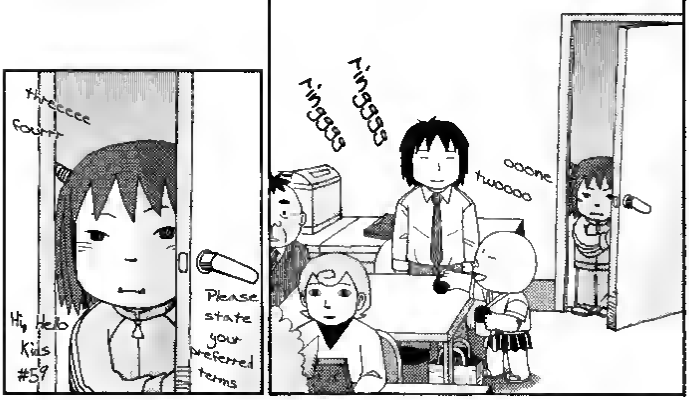
YOU CAN EVEN HAVE A BIT OF SYRUP IF YOU WANT
SO YOU CAN JUST HANG OUT UNTIL THIS EVENING
I'VE GOT WORK TO DO


Hi, Hello Kids #5!
Please state your preferred terms
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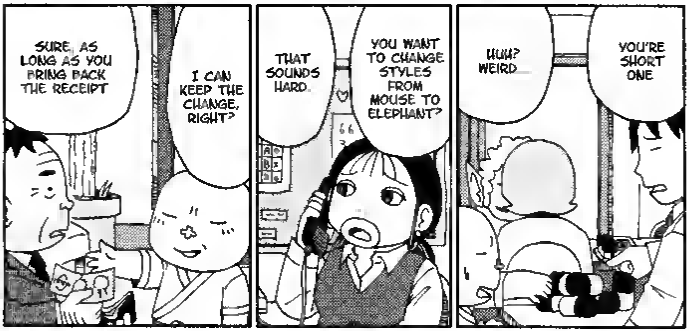
Pingggg
Pingggg
Pingggg
Twoooo
Ooone


SURE. AS LONG AS YOU BRING BACK THE RECEIPT
I CAN KEEP THE CHANGE, RIGHT?
THAT SOUNDS HARD.
YOU WANT TO CHANGE STYLES FROM MOUSE TO ELEPHANT?
UUH? WEIRD...
YOU'RE SHORT ONE

IS SOMETHING THE MATTER?
NOTHING
OH, NO

WHEW, WHAT A HARD DAY OF WORK
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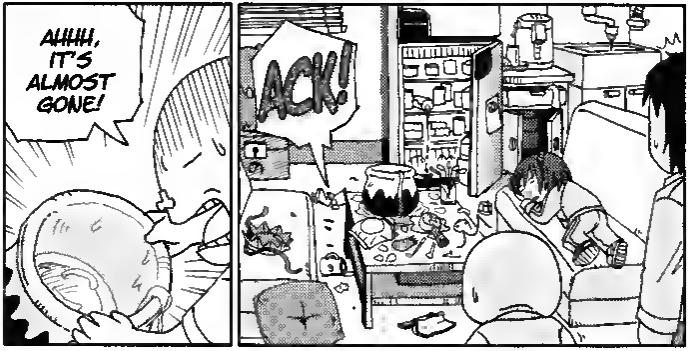
AHHH, IT'S ALMOST GONE!
ACK!

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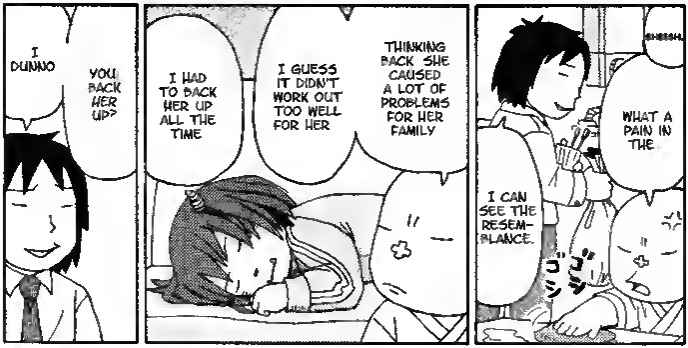
I DUNNO
YOU BACK HER UP?
I HAD TO BACK HER UP ALL THE TIME
I GUESS IT DIDN'T WORK OUT TOO WELL FOR HER
THINKING BACK SHE CAUSED A LOT OF PROBLEMS FOR HER FAMILY
SHEESH.
WHAT A PAIN IN THE
I CAN SEE THE RESEMBLANCE.
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NORA-MIMI
WHAT?
I CAN'T SLEEP
BECAUSE YOU TOOK A NAP DURING THE DAY
NO I DIDN'T
IT'S ACTUALLY NOT THAT I DON'T WANT TO HOMESTAY
AND IT'S NOT THAT I ACTUALLY WANT TO BE AN ENTER-TAINER
BUT IT'S NOT THAT I DON'T WANT TO ENTER THE CONTEST EITHER
WHAT THE HECK DOES THAT MEAN?
I'VE BEEN WORKING REALLY HARD THESE SIX MONTHS TO BE AN ENTERTAINER, BUT IT'S HARDER THAN I THOUGHT
I'M LOSING MY CONFIDENCE

TO TELL ME HOW GOOD I REALLY AM THAT'S ALL I WANT
THE CONTEST IS JUST THERE
AND IF I WIN, THEN I'LL QUIT ANYWAY
IF I DON'T WIN I'LL JUST QUIT
SO WHEN I ENTER THIS CONTEST
MASCOTS ARE SUPPOSED TO LIVE WITH KIDS
MAYBE I'VE GOT NO TALENT
OH
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GOOD FOR YOU YOU CAN GET STARTED TOMORROW
I'LL QUIT THE WHOLE THING AND GO BACK TO FREELOADING
I WON'T ENTER THE CONTEST THEN
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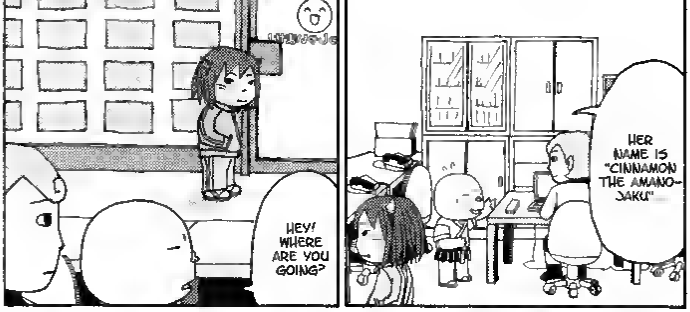
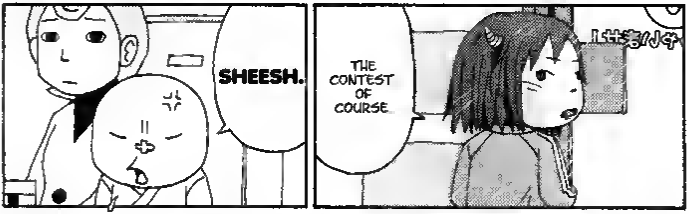
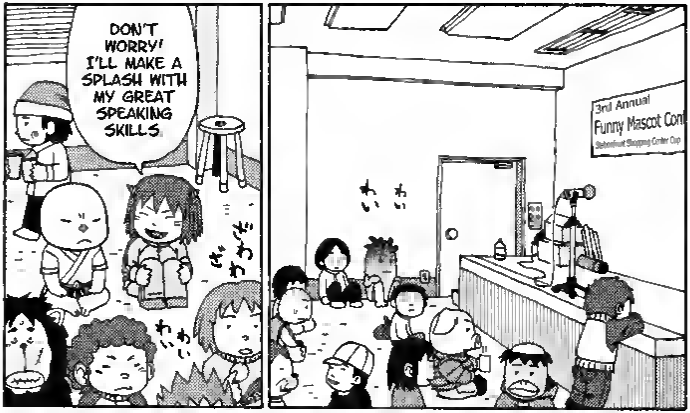
IF I CAN'T FIND A PLACE LET ME STAY HERE.
WHAT?
BIG BROTHER NORAMIMI
I COULDN'T TELL YOU
I WONDER IF I'LL FIND A PLACE SOON


HEY! WHERE ARE YOU GOING?
HER NAME IS "CINNAMON THE AMANO-JAKU"


SHEESH.
THE CONTEST OF COURSE.


DON'T WORRY! I'LL MAKE A SPLASH WITH MY GREAT SPEAKING SKILLS.
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WE WILL NOW BEGIN THE "STATIONFRONT SHOPPING CENTER CUP 3RD ANNUAL FUNNY MASCOT CONTEST."
THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR PATIENCE.
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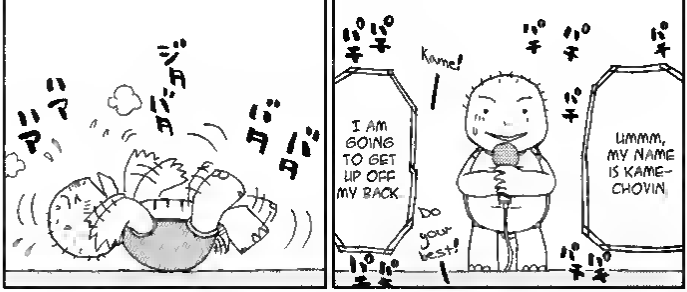
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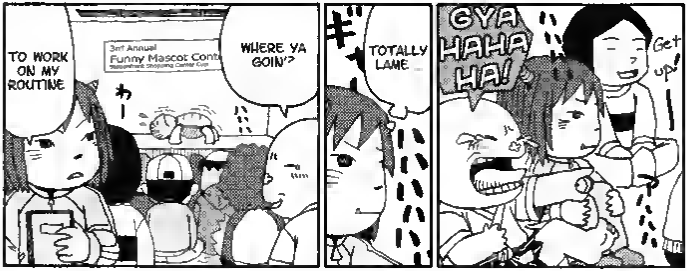
Kame!
I AM GOING TO GET UP OFF MY BACK
Do your best!
UMMM, MY NAME IS KAME-CHOVIN


TO WORK ON MY ROUTINE
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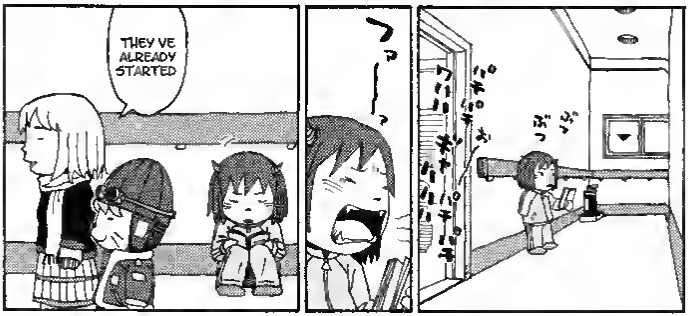
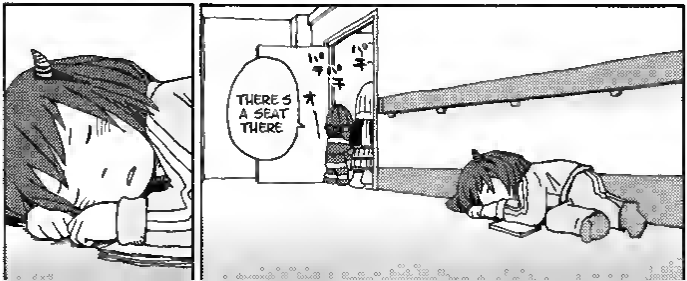
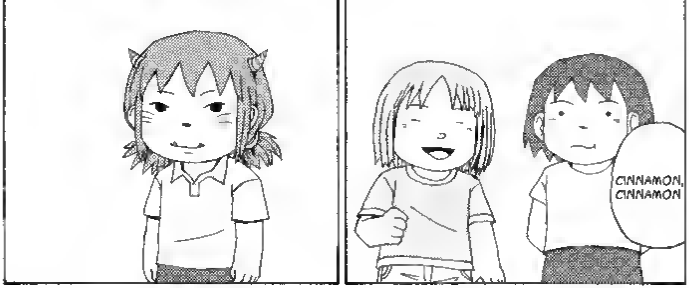
WHERE YA GOIN'?
TOTALLY LAME
GYA HAHA HA!
Get up!


THEY'VE ALREADY STARTED


THERE'S A SEAT THERE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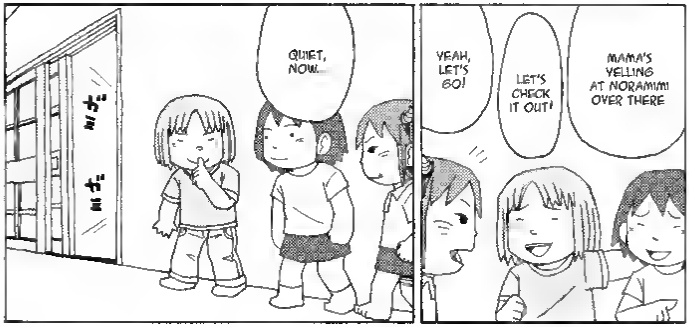
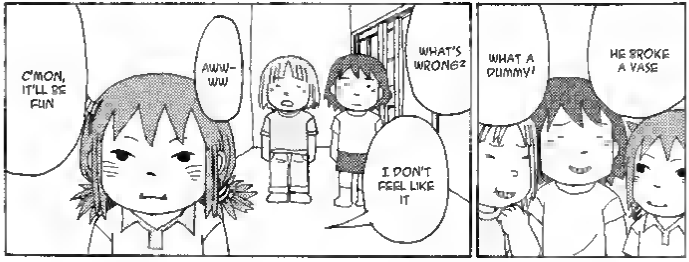
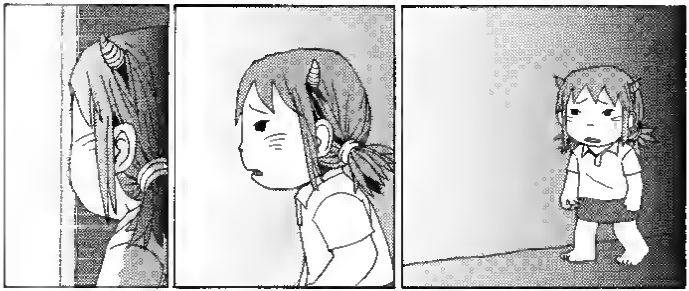

QUIET, NOW...
YEAH, LET'S GO!
LET'S CHECK IT OUT!
MAMA'S YELLING AT NORAMIMI OVER THERE


C'MON, IT'LL BE FUN
AWW-WW
WHAT'S WRONG?
I DON'T FEEL LIKE IT
WHAT A DUMMY!
HE BROKE A VASE

SHE SURE IS AN AMANOJAKU.

I WANT TO WATCH, AFTER ALL
NO...
A-HA-HA-HA
OUU
OH
CLANK CLANK
I'M SORRY
WATCH OUT BE CAREFUL
NORA-MIMI YOU SILLY GUY
EHE-HEH
OVER THERE
A-HA-HA
LET'S ALL CLEAN UP TOGETHER
YOU'RE SUCH A KLUTZ
EHE-HEH
CLANK CLANK
OH



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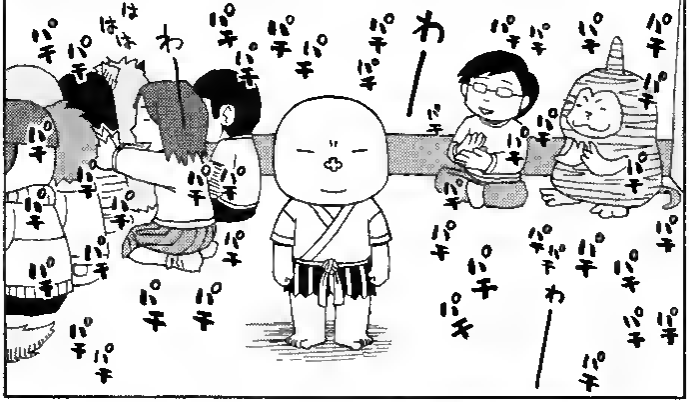
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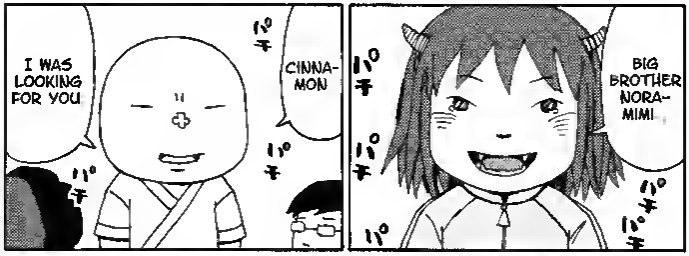
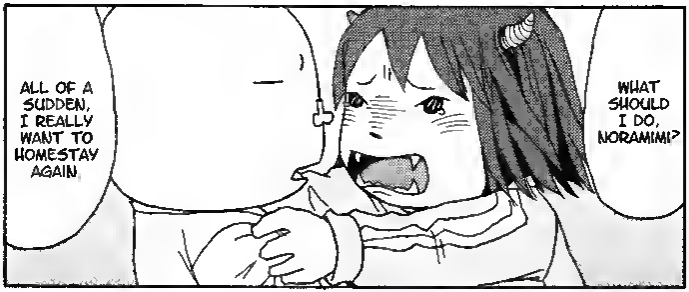
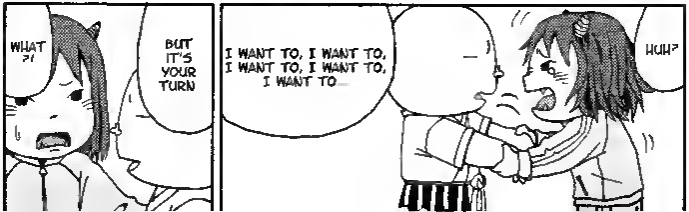
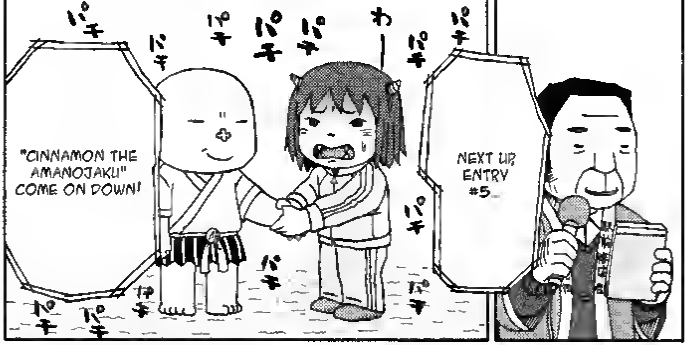
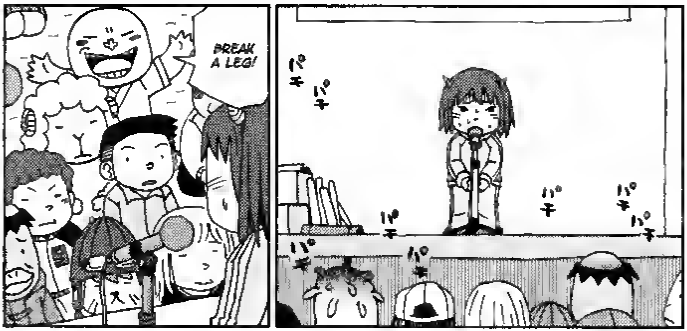

I WAS LOOKING FOR YOU
CINNA-MON
BIG BROTHER NORA-MIMI


ALL OF A SUDDEN, I REALLY WANT TO HOMESTAY AGAIN
WHAT SHOULD I DO, NORAMIMI?

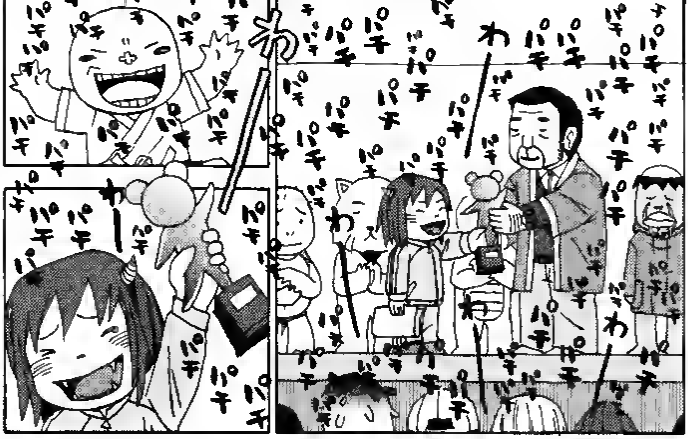

WHAT ?!
BUT IT'S YOUR TURN
I WANT TO, I WANT TO, I WANT TO, I WANT TO, I WANT TO
HUH?

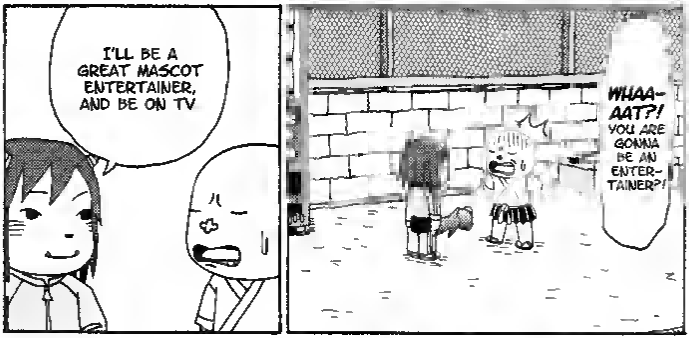

"CINNAMON THE AMANOJAKU" COME ON DOWN!
NEXT UP ENTRY #5...


BREAK A LEG!

I THINK NURSING HOME ORDERLIES ARE THE JOR OF THE FUTURE
WITH OUR RAPIDLY AGING SOCIETY, SOON THERE WILL BE MORE GRANDPAS THAN GRAND-CHILDREN
UMM...

HERE'S MY "WHAT A TERRIBLE MASCOT SERIES"!
AND NOW, ON TO THE JOKES...




I'LL BE A GREAT MASCOT ENTERTAINER, AND BE ON TV
WHAA-AAT?! YOU ARE GONNA BE AN ENTER-TAINER?!

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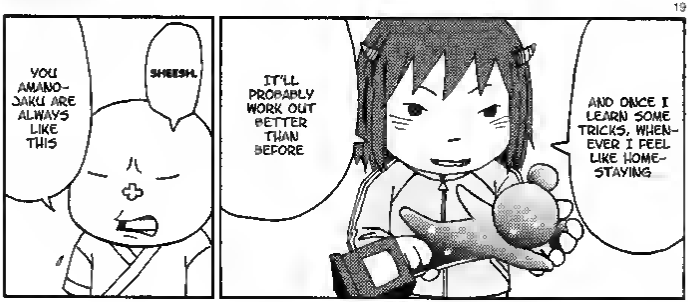
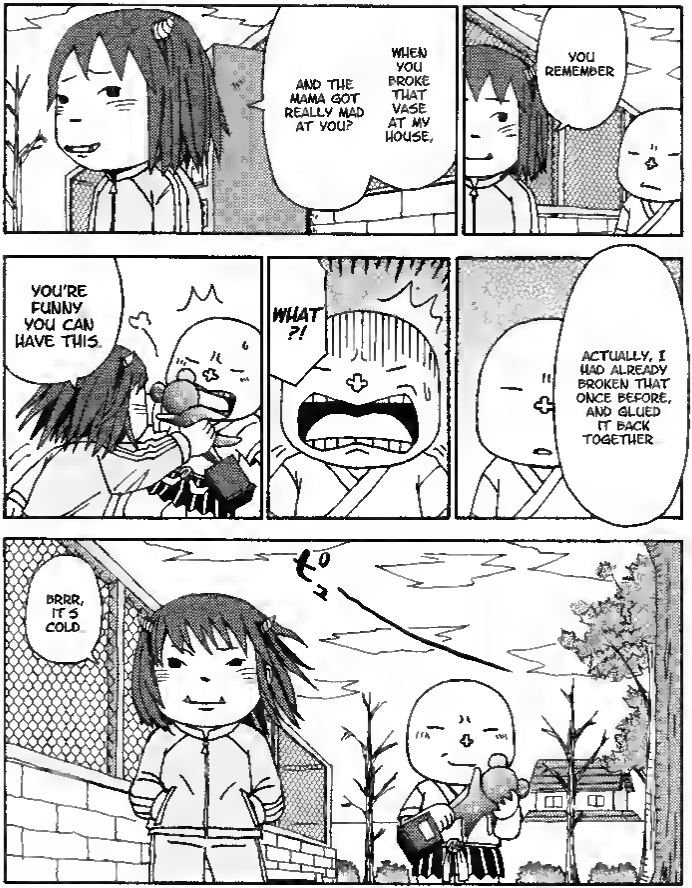

YOU AMANO-JAKU ARE ALWAYS LIKE THIS
SHEESH.
IT'LL PROBABLY WORK OUT BETTER THAN BEFORE
AND ONCE I LEARN SOME TRICKS, WHEN-EVER I FEEL LIKE HOME-STAYING


AND THE MAMA GOT REALLY MAD AT YOU?
WHEN YOU BROKE THAT VASE AT MY HOUSE,
YOU REMEMBER
YOU'RE FUNNY YOU CAN HAVE THIS.
WHAT?!
ACTUALLY, I HAD ALREADY BROKEN THAT ONCE BEFORE, AND GLUED IT BACK TOGETHER.
BRRR, IT'S COLD.
ARE YOU KIDDING? NO.
ARE YOU GONNA LEAVE NOW?

CINNAMON THE AMANOJAKU = THE END

Mascot File

ID No.	00017169
Type	Amanojaku (Ogre - Human)
Name	Amanojaku Cinnamon

No. of Families Serviced	13
Special Skills	All party tricks. Stand-up comedy
Favorite Food	Oyakodon. Sour drinks.
Motto	Make your child cry for your comedy
Preferred Family	A home with grandfather and grandmother
Message	Nothing in particular
Further Notes	Personality issues

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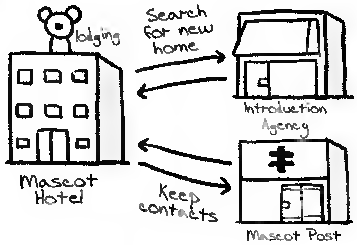
The Lives of Mascots Not Homestaying

How does a mascot live its life when not staying in a family's home? Some of them choose to camp outdoors, but most will make use of the "Mascot Hotel."

Like the Mascot Post, the Mascot Hotel is a public facility that exists in every neighborhood, which provides free lodging and food. By having their basic needs met, a homeless mascot can be assured of a place to stay while they are searching for a new home.

Many mascots, when free, will stage their base at the Mascot Hotel, while keeping contacts with the Mascot Post, and utilizing the introduction agencies to find a new home.



The Mascot Hotel is typically in close proximity to the Post, and occasionally can be found within the same building.

THEY DON'T SCANLATE ONE PIECE ANYMORE, BUT MANGA SCREENER IS STILL THE HOME OF THE BEST MANGA ON THE NET!
MANGASCREENER

WELCOME HOME, SATOSHI
I'M HOME.
YOU WANT SOME JUICE, TOO?
WE JUST BOUGHT SOME SNACKS FROM THE STORE
WAS IT COLD OUT?
I'LL TAKE YOUR BAG.
YEP
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AACK!
JUST BARELY.
DID YOU MAKE IT IN TIME THIS MORNING?

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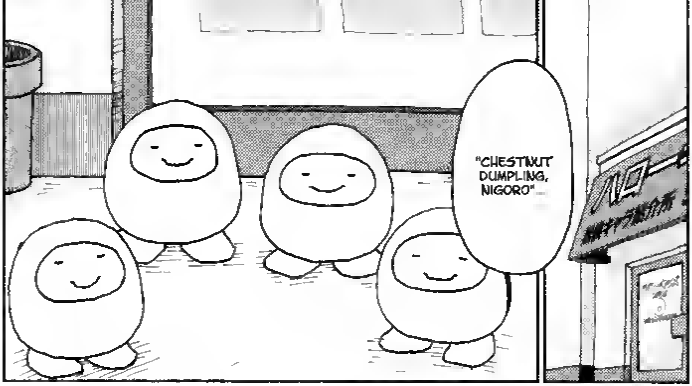
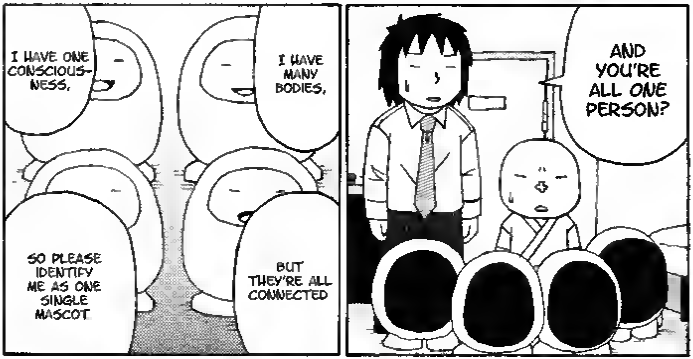

"CHESTNUT DUMPLING, NIGORO"...


I HAVE ONE CONSCIOUS-NESS,
I HAVE MANY BODIES,
SO PLEASE IDENTIFY ME AS ONE SINGLE MASCOT
BUT THEY'RE ALL CONNECTED
AND YOU'RE ALL ONE PERSON?

NO
UH
ERRR
I'M ACTUALLY ALREADY HOME-STAYING
WHAT-EVER
SHEESH.
I DON'T NEED GLASSES OR PROPS
THIS WAY MY DIFFERENT PARTS AREN'T ACTUALLY OVERLAPPING EACH OTHER'S CHARACTERS
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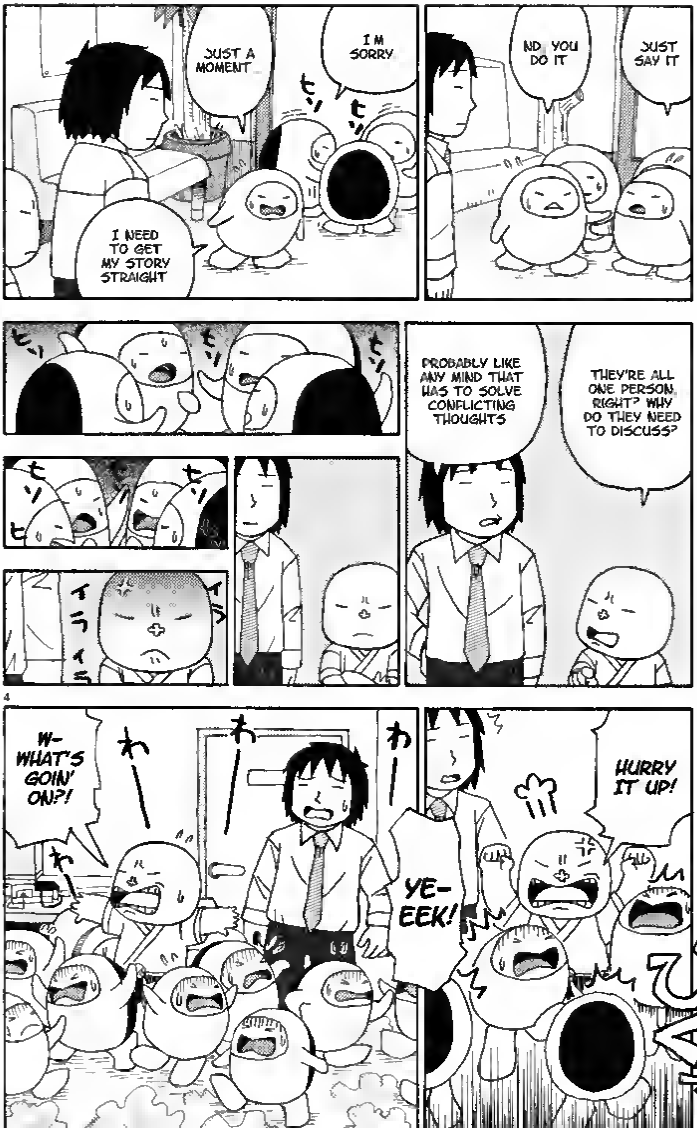
ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A NEW PLACE?
WHAT'S YOUR BUSINESS TODAY?
I SEE. WELL THAT'S A VERY RARE TYPE OF MASCOT...


JUST A MOMENT
I'M SORRY
I NEED TO GET MY STORY STRAIGHT
NO, YOU DO IT
JUST SAY IT
PROBABLY LIKE ANY MIND THAT HAS TO SOLVE CONFLICTING THOUGHTS
THEY'RE ALL ONE PERSON, RIGHT? WHY DO THEY NEED TO DISCUSS?
W-WHAT'S GOIN' ON?!
HURRY IT UP!
YE-EEK!

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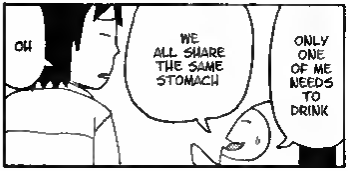
ARE THERE MORE OF THEM NOW?!

CAN I HAVE A GLASS OF WATER?
A GLASS? JUST ONE?

ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
WELL...
I THINK SO
YEESH!


ONLY ONE OF ME NEEDS TO DRINK
WE ALL SHARE THE SAME STOMACH
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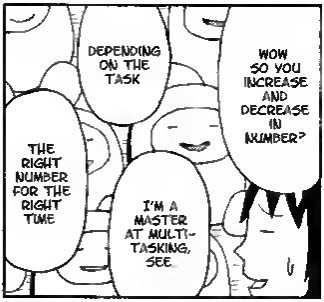
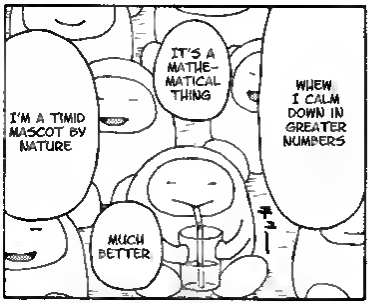

WOW SO YOU INCREASE AND DECREASE IN NUMBER?
DEPENDING ON THE TASK
I'M A MASTER AT MULTI-TASKING, SEE.
THE RIGHT NUMBER FOR THE RIGHT TIME


WHEW I CALM DOWN IN GREATER NUMBERS
IT'S A MATHE-MATICAL THING
I'M A TIMID MASCOT BY NATURE
MUCH BETTER

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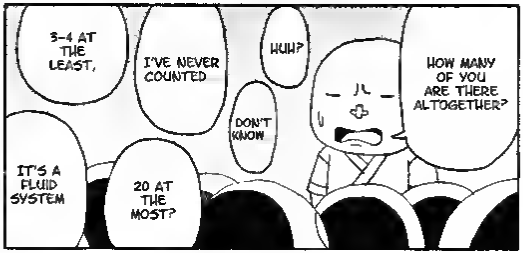
SO WHAT DID YOU NEED US FOR?


HOW MANY OF YOU ARE THERE ALTOGETHER?
HUH?
I'VE NEVER COUNTED
3-4 AT THE LEAST,
DON'T KNOW
20 AT THE MOST?
IT'S A FLUID SYSTEM

UMM, ERR...
WHAT I WANTED TO SAY WAS
W-WELL,
SO, UH
HE'S GRADUATING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
THE PROBLEM IS MY BOY, SATOSHI...
I SEE. YOUR FAREWELL TIME IS APPROACHING,
BUT YOU DON'T KNOW HOW TO TELL YOUR CHILD...
I DON'T EVEN WANT TO BRING IT UP...
IT'S THE FIRST FAREWELL FOR ME...
ADD IN MY TIMIDITY, AND IT'S REALLY HARD TO DISCUSS
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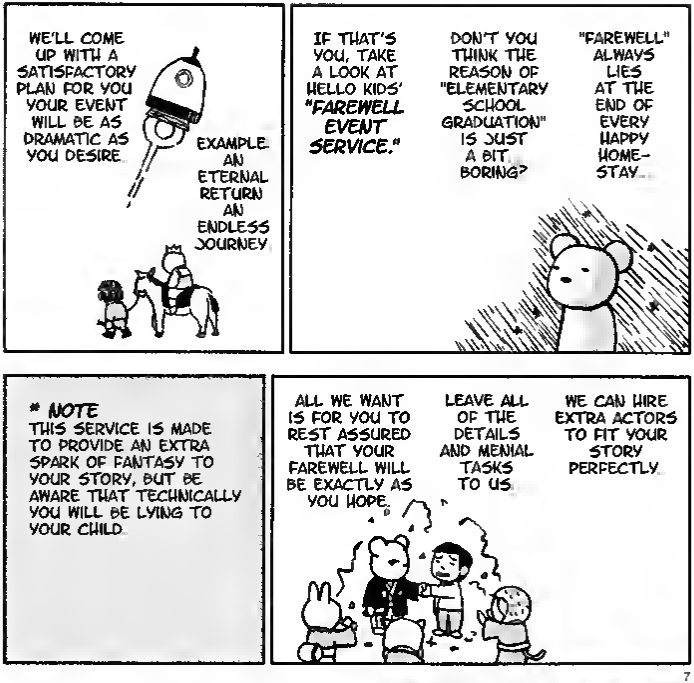
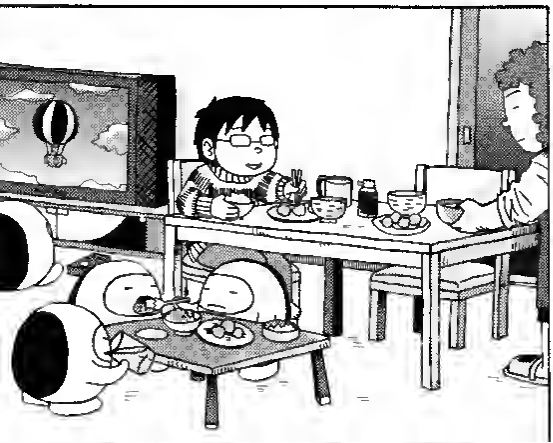
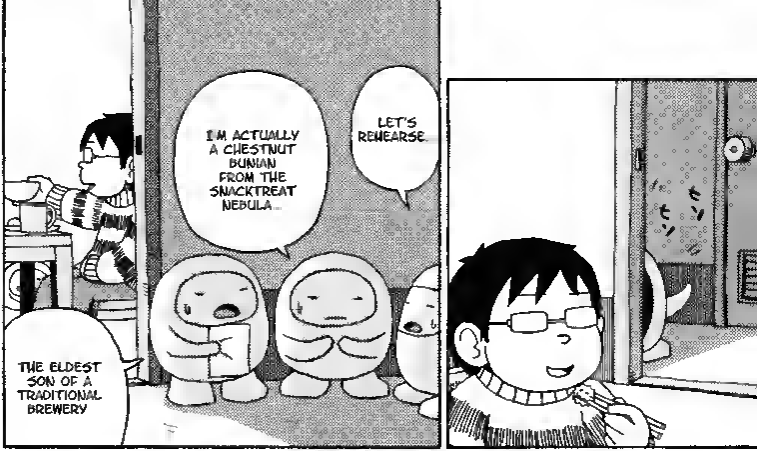
WELL THEN, HOW ABOUT USING OUR "FAREWELL EVENT SERVICE"?
I THINK IT WILL HELP EASE YOUR CONCERNS
WELL, EVERY-ONE'S LIKE THAT THEIR FIRST TIME
IT SURE WAS NERVE-WRACKING FOR ME I'LL TELL YA


WE'LL COME UP WITH A SATISFACTORY PLAN FOR YOU YOUR EVENT WILL BE AS DRAMATIC AS YOU DESIRE.
EXAMPLE AN ETERNAL RETURN AN ENDLESS JOURNEY
IF THAT'S YOU, TAKE A LOOK AT HELLO KIDS' "FAREWELL EVENT SERVICE."
DON'T YOU THINK THE REASON OF "ELEMENTARY SCHOOL GRADUATION" IS JUST A BIT BORING?
"FAREWELL" ALWAYS LIES AT THE END OF EVERY HAPPY HOME-STAY...
* NOTE
THIS SERVICE IS MADE TO PROVIDE AN EXTRA SPARK OF FANTASY TO YOUR STORY, BUT BE AWARE THAT TECHNICALLY YOU WILL BE LYING TO YOUR CHILD.
ALL WE WANT IS FOR YOU TO REST ASSURED THAT YOUR FAREWELL WILL BE EXACTLY AS YOU HOPE.
LEAVE ALL OF THE DETAILS AND MENIAL TASKS TO US.
WE CAN HIRE EXTRA ACTORS TO FIT YOUR STORY PERFECTLY.




LET'S REHEARSE...
I'M ACTUALLY A CHESTNUT BUNJAN FROM THE SNACKTREAT NEBULA...
THE ELDEST SON OF A TRADITIONAL BREWERY
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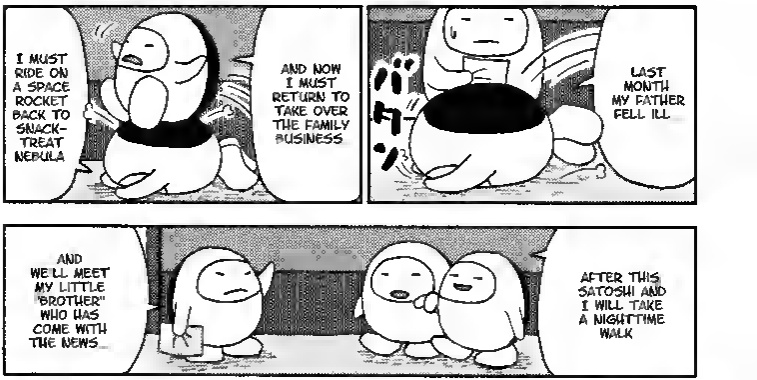
I MUST RIDE ON A SPACE ROCKET BACK TO SNACK-TREAT NEBULA
AND NOW I MUST RETURN TO TAKE OVER THE FAMILY BUSINESS
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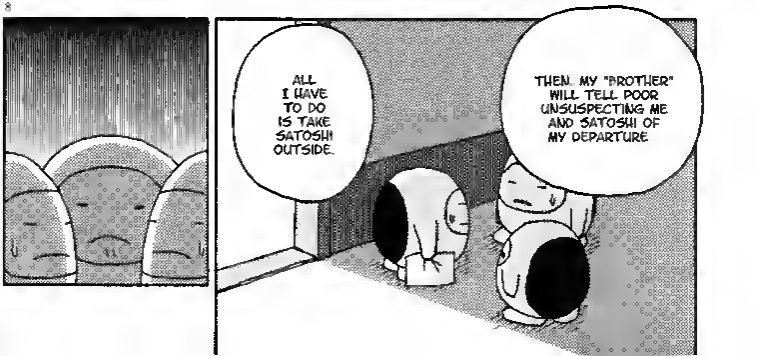
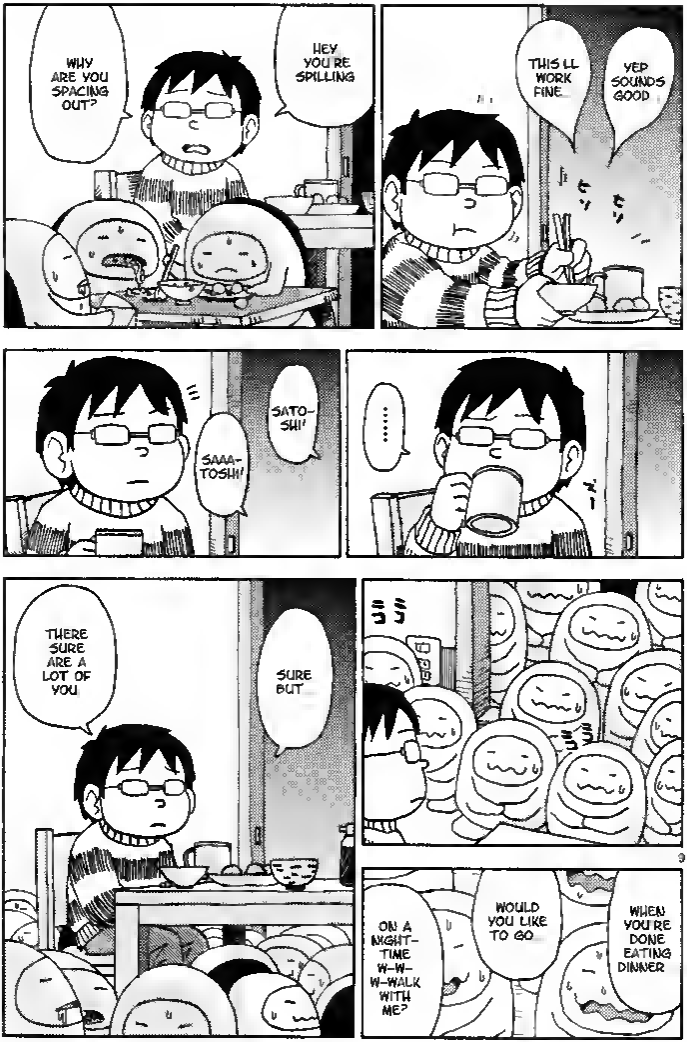
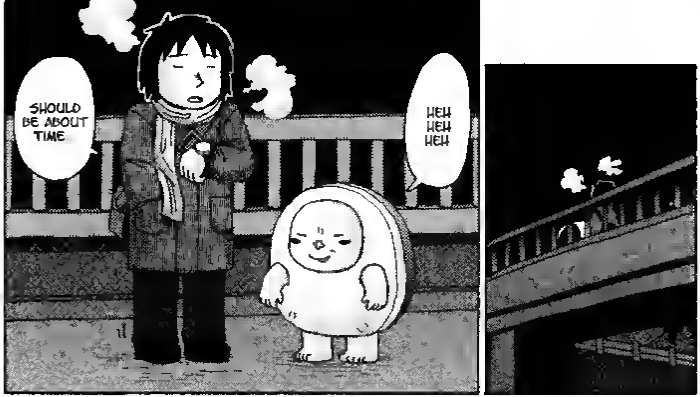
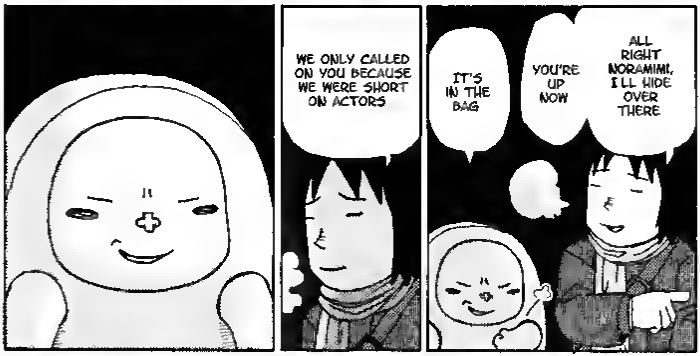
LAST MONTH MY FATHER FELL ILL...

AND WE'LL MEET MY LITTLE "BROTHER" WHO HAS COME WITH THE NEWS...
AFTER THIS SATOSHI AND I WILL TAKE A NIGHTTIME WALK


ALL I HAVE TO DO IS TAKE SATOSHI OUTSIDE.
THEN, MY "BROTHER" WILL TELL POOR UNSUSPECTING ME AND SATOSHI OF MY DEPARTURE


WHY ARE YOU SPACING OUT?
HEY YOU'RE SPILLING
THIS'LL WORK FINE...
YEP SOUNDS GOOD
SATO-SHI!
SAAA-TOSHI!
.....
THERE SURE ARE A LOT OF YOU
SURE BUT...
WHEN YOU'RE DONE EATING DINNER
WOULD YOU LIKE TO GO...
ON A NIGHT-TIME W-W-W-WALK WITH ME?


SHOULD BE ABOUT TIME
HEH HEH HEH


WE ONLY CALLED ON YOU BECAUSE WE WERE SHORT ON ACTORS
IT'S IN THE BAG
YOU'RE UP NOW
ALL RIGHT NORAMIMI, I'LL HIDE OVER THERE

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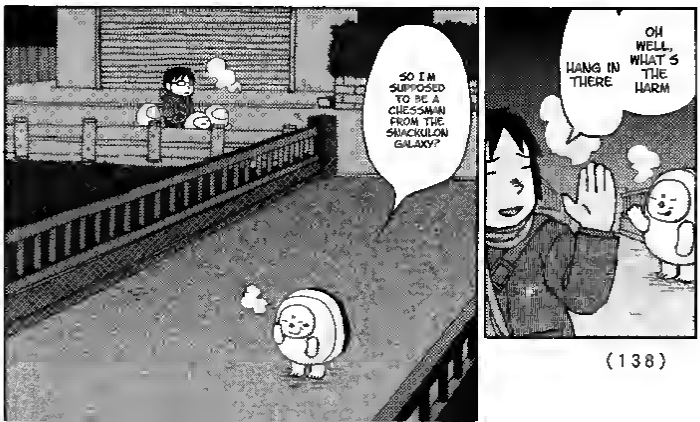
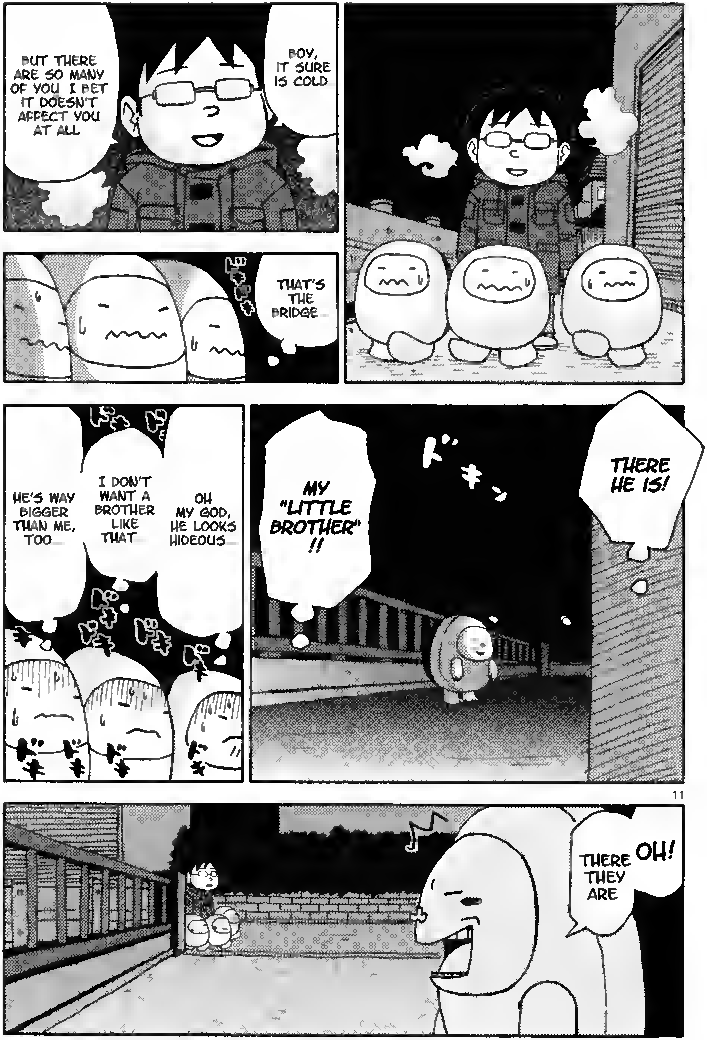

SO I'M SUPPOSED TO BE A CHESSMAN FROM THE SHACKULON GALAXY?
HANG IN THERE
OH WELL, WHAT'S THE HARM


BUT THERE ARE SO MANY OF YOU I BET IT DOESN'T AFFECT YOU AT ALL
BOY, IT SURE IS COLD
THAT'S THE BRIDGE...
HE'S WAY BIGGER THAN ME, TOO...
I DON'T WANT A BROTHER LIKE THAT...
OH MY GOD, HE LOOKS HIDEOUS...
MY "LITTLE BROTHER" !!
THERE HE IS!
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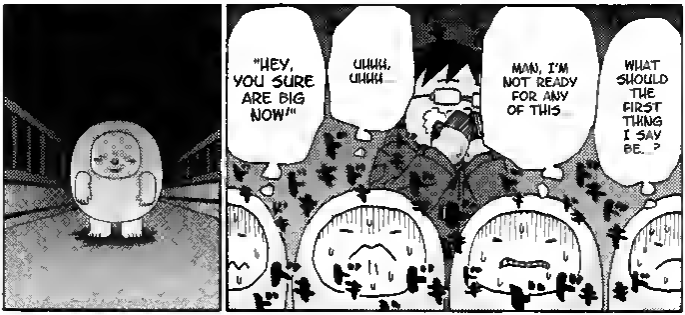
THERE THEY ARE
OH!

WHATEVER, I'LL JUST CALL HIM "HIDEOUS"
UMMM UMMM
WE NEVER EVEN SETTLED ON A NAME FOR HIM...


"HEY, YOU SURE ARE BIG NOW!"
UHHH, UHHH...
MAN, I'M NOT READY FOR ANY OF THIS...
WHAT SHOULD THE FIRST THING I SAY BE...?

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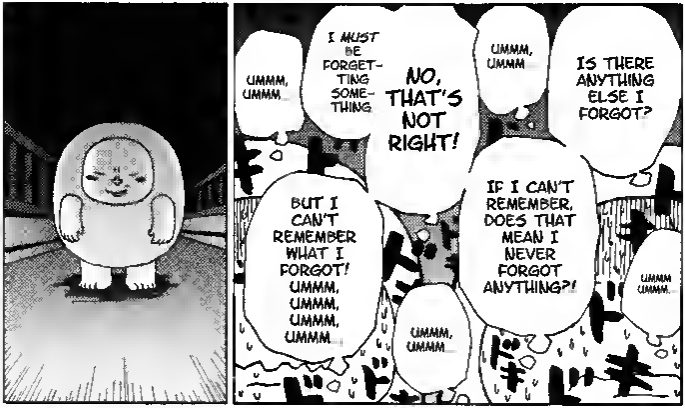
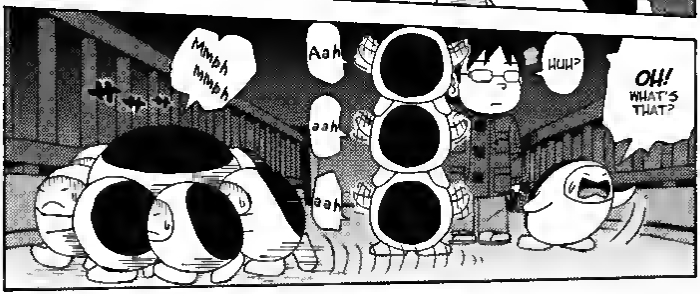
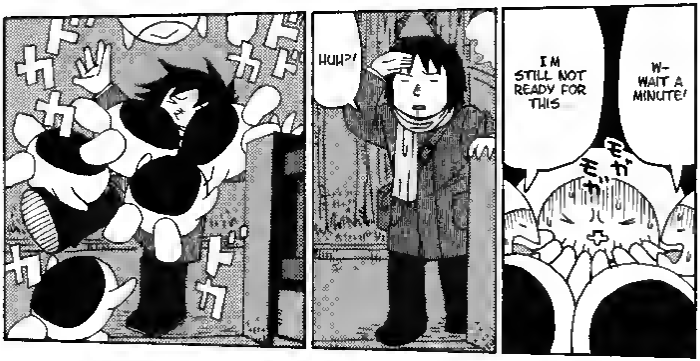

UMMM, UMMM...
I MUST BE FORGET-TING SOME-THING
NO, THAT'S NOT RIGHT!
UMMM, UMMM
IS THERE ANYTHING ELSE I FORGOT?
BUT I CAN'T REMEMBER WHAT I FORGOT! UMMM, UMMM, UMMM, UMMM...
IF I CAN'T REMEMBER, DOES THAT MEAN I NEVER FORGOT ANYTHING?!
UMMM UMMM...
UMMM, UMMM...

BIG BR...


Mmph mmph
Aah
aah
aah
HUH?
OH! WHAT'S THAT?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HUH?!
I'M STILL NOT READY FOR THIS
W-WAIT A MINUTE!
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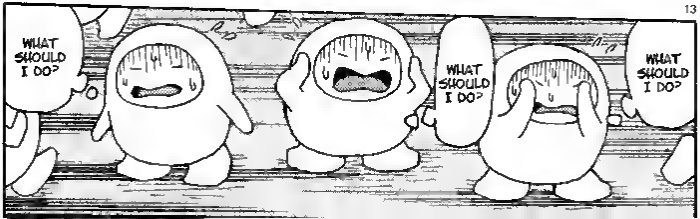
WHAT SHOULD I DO?
WHAT SHOULD I DO?
WHAT SHOULD I DO?

MM-MM!
MM-MM!
WHAT TO DO?
WHAT TO DO?
MMMM!
MMMM!
HEH HEH HEH
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
MAKING A WALL
WHAT TO DO?
WHAT TO DO?
WHAT TO DO?
WHAT TO DO?
WHAT TO DO?
WHAT TO DO?
WHAT TO DO?
WHAT TO DO?
WHAT TO DO?
WHAT TO DO?
BWA AH!
WAIT, YOU'RE BEING WEIRD!
LET'S GO OVER THAT WAY!
WHAT TO DO?
WHAT TO DO?
WHAT TO DO?

DON'T I GET MY CHANCE TO SHINE?!
SHEESH.
WHAT A HUGE NIGORO
WHAT'S THAT?
OUCH!

OH...
IT'S BEAUTIFUL...
IT IS.
IT IS.
IT IS.
IT IS.
IT IS.
IT IS.
NO WONDER IT'S SO COLD...
DOES THIS MAKE YOU WARMER
HUH? YEAH...
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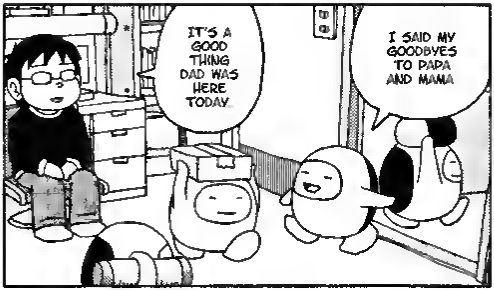
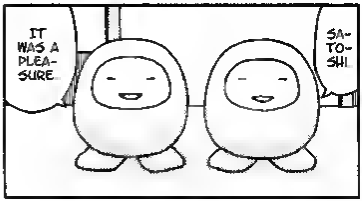
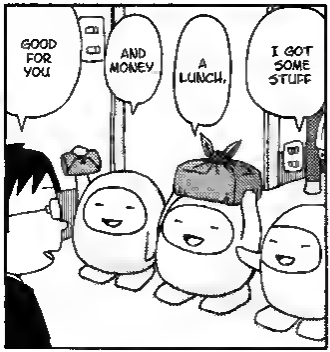
LOOK HOW MANY OF YOU THERE ARE.
WOW...

NO WORRIES.
SO CALM...
THIS FEELING...?
WHAT IS...
I HAVE TO SAY FAREWELL TO YOU SOON
SATOSHI
I COULD SAY ANY-THING.
IT'S BECAUSE YOU'RE GRADUATING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL.
EVERYONE IN THE 6TH GRADE KNOWS ABOUT IT
YAMAGI AND KOKICHI SAID THEY BROKE UP WITH THEIR MASCOTS TOO.
...YEAH, I KNEW IT WAS COMING.
I'M GLAD I WAS ABLE TO TELL YOU MYSELF...
...OH.
WELL, HOW ABOUT THAT.
HA HA...







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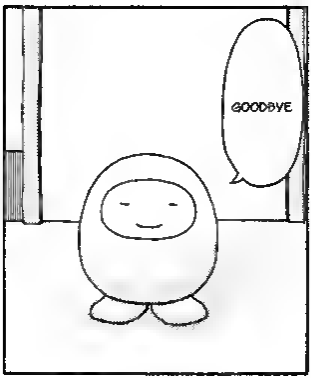
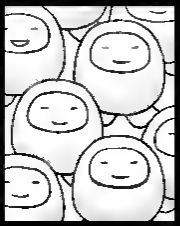


PARALLEL FAREWELL = THE END

Mascot File

ID No.	01789911
Type	Dumpling
Name	Chestnut Dumpling **Nigoro**



No. of Families Serviced	1
Special Skills	Dumpling games Bucket relays.
Favorite Food	Anything that can be eaten in a single bite. * Certified "Glutton" mascot
Motto	Two heads are better than one
Preferred Family	A klutzy boy with glasses. Better to have a relatively large house.
Message	There are a lot of me, but I'm one mascot. Hi.
Further Notes	Exists as multiple bodies but they have one single consciousness. The number of bodies is variable and shifting, however. A very rare type

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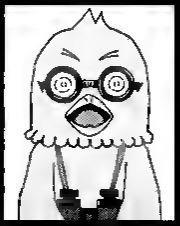
Mascot File

ID No.	00071095
Type	Bird
Name	Human-watcher **Birdglasses**



No. of Families Serviced	3
Special Skills	Human-watching. Voice imitation.
Favorite Food	Popcorn.
Motto	Humans are nice.
Preferred Family	A klutzy only son with glasses.
Message	Hello.
Further Notes	Extremely farsighted. Non-flying species.

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THEY DON'T SCANLATE ONE PIECE ANYMORE, BUT MANGA SCREENER IS STILL THE HOME OF THE BEST MANGA ON THE NET!
MANGASCREENER

THIS IS THE STORY OF A TIME WHEN SOCIETY IS OVERFLOWING WITH THESE MASCOTS
There's none left!
Eeeek!
More!
ONCE EVERYONE WISHED FOR A LOVABLE OUTSIDER IN THE HOME WHOSE ONLY PURPOSE WAS TO MAKE LIFE FUN
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のらみみ入門
NORAMIMI PRIMER
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PART ONE
A STORY FROM BEFORE I MET NORAMIMI
Smiley-Smile Agency
FLYINGROBOTS X PNYXTR X CSD
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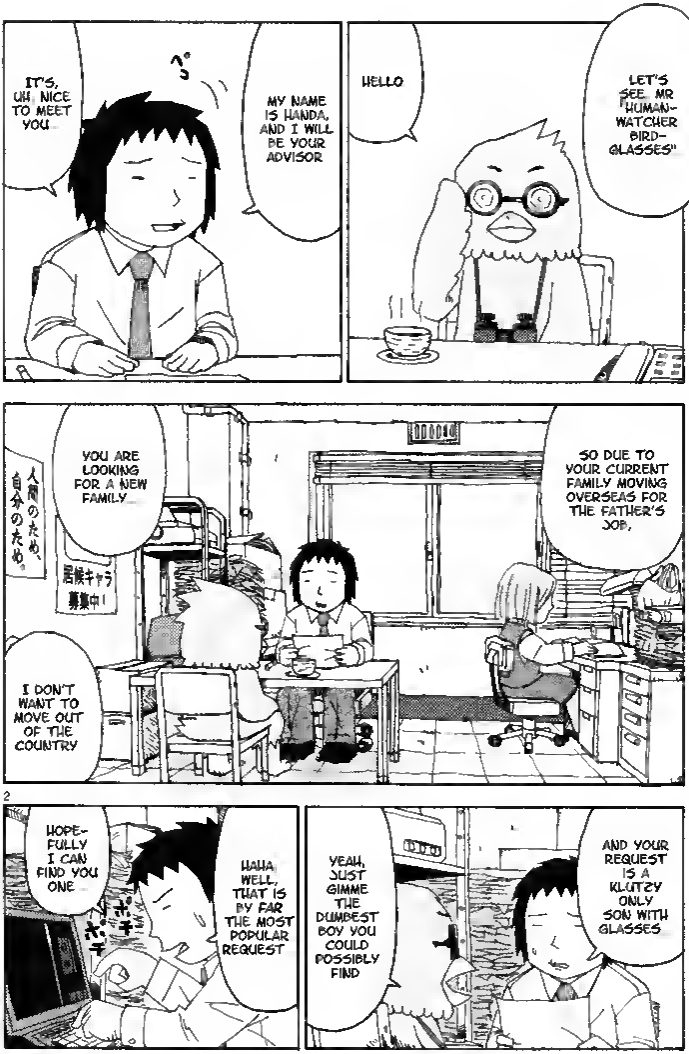
IT'S, UH NICE TO MEET YOU
MY NAME IS HANDA, AND I WILL BE YOUR ADVISOR
HELLO
LET'S SEE. MR "HUMAN-WATCHER BIRD-GLASSES"
人間のため、自分のため。
居候キャラ募集中！
YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A NEW FAMILY
SO DUE TO YOUR CURRENT FAMILY MOVING OVERSEAS FOR THE FATHER'S JOB,
I DON'T WANT TO MOVE OUT OF THE COUNTRY
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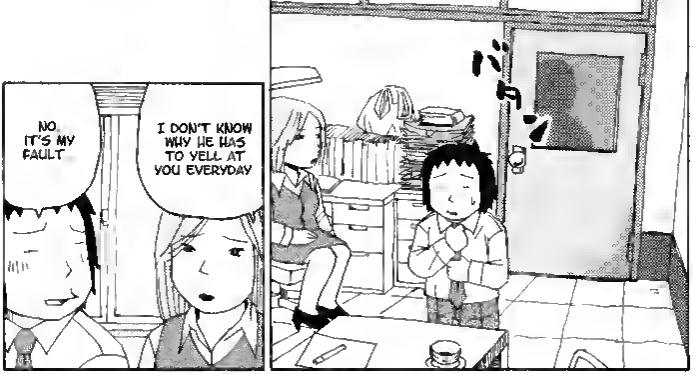
HOPE-FULLY I CAN FIND YOU ONE
HAHA WELL THAT IS BY FAR THE MOST POPULAR REQUEST
YEAH, JUST GIMME THE DUMBEST BOY YOU COULD POSSIBLY FIND
AND YOUR REQUEST IS A KLUTZY ONLY SON WITH GLASSES

KLUTZ, GLASSES ONLY SON, RENTER, 0 PTS, LAST
I'M SORRY, IT'S AN OLD MACHINE. UMM. HOW DO YOU...?
DON'T FORGET THE MIDDLE CLASS PART
ARE YOU DONE YET?
KLUTZY BOY WITH GLASSES...
HUH? HOW DO YOU DO THIS
DON'T TREAT ME LIKE A FOOL BECAUSE I WEAR GLASSES!
WHAT'S WITH THIS PLACE?
UH, WAIT...
I SAID I WANTED A POOR-ASS DUMB BOY!!
HOW ABOUT A COMPANY PRESIDENT'S 8-YEAR-OLD DAUGHTER WHO GOES TO AN AMERICAN SCHOOL?
HERE'S YOUR RESULT
YOU SCREWED UP AGAIN, YOU LOUSY STIFF
DANGIT

I'M SORRY! I APOLOGIZE, IT WAS MY FAULT!
YOU AIN'T CUT OUT FOR THIS LINE 'A WORK! FIND A NEW CAREER!
YOU LET ANOTHER CUSTOMER GET AWAY... YOU GODDAMN MORON
G-GOOD MORNING BOSS...

DON'T FIRE ME...
JUST PLEASE DON'T

Y-YES-SIR
I'M GONNA GO LIE DOWN FOR A BIT YOU HOLD IT DOWN HERE...
HASN'T WORN OFF YET
YECH I FEEL SICK...
I KNOW, SIR
AND JOT EVERY-THING DOWN


NO, IT'S MY FAULT
I DON'T KNOW WHY HE HAS TO YELL AT YOU EVERYDAY
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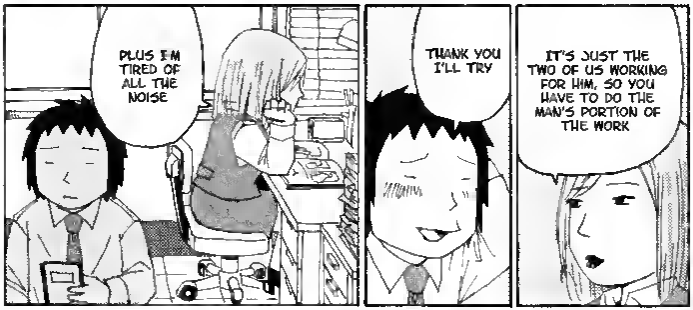
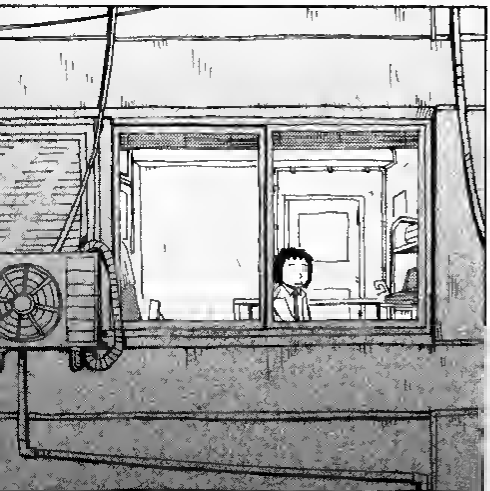
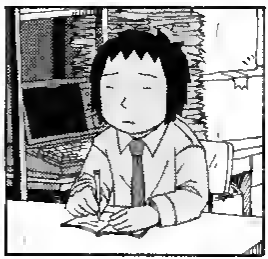
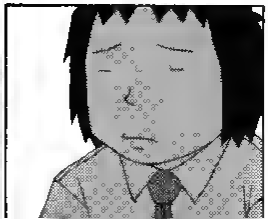
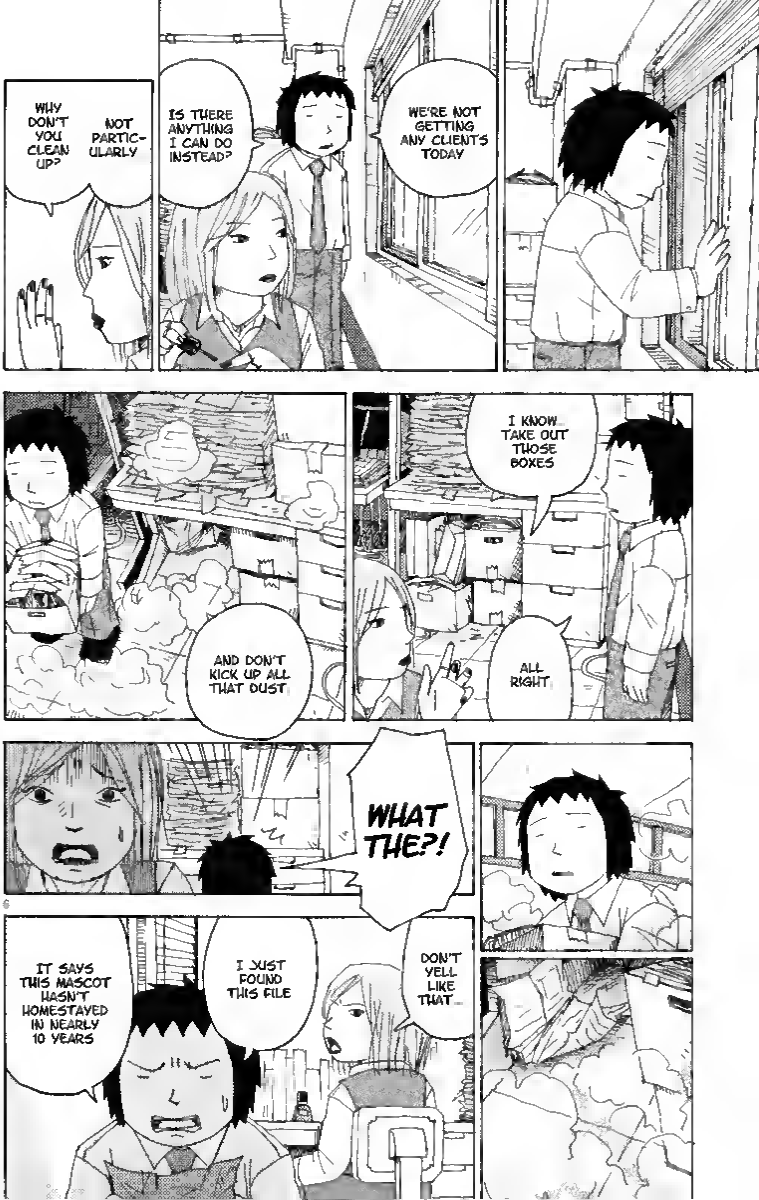
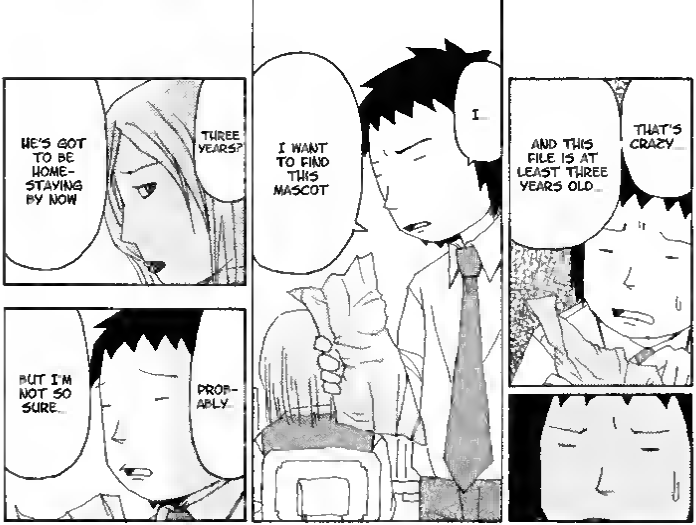

PLUS I'M TIRED OF ALL THE NOISE
THANK YOU I'LL TRY
IT'S JUST THE TWO OF US WORKING FOR HIM, SO YOU HAVE TO DO THE MAN'S PORTION OF THE WORK








WHY DON'T YOU CLEAN UP?
NOT PARTIC-ULARLY
IS THERE ANYTHING I CAN DO INSTEAD?
WE'RE NOT GETTING ANY CLIENTS TODAY
I KNOW TAKE OUT THOSE BOXES
AND DON'T KICK UP ALL THAT DUST
ALL RIGHT
WHAT THE?!
IT SAYS THIS MASCOT HASN'T HOMESTAYED IN NEARLY 10 YEARS
I JUST FOUND THIS FILE
DON'T YELL LIKE THAT


HE'S GOT TO BE HOME-STAYING BY NOW
THREE YEARS?
I WANT TO FIND THIS MASCOT
I...
AND THIS FILE IS AT LEAST THREE YEARS OLD...
THAT'S CRAZY...
BUT I'M NOT SO SURE...
PROB-ABLY...

GET ME A COFFEE, KEIKO
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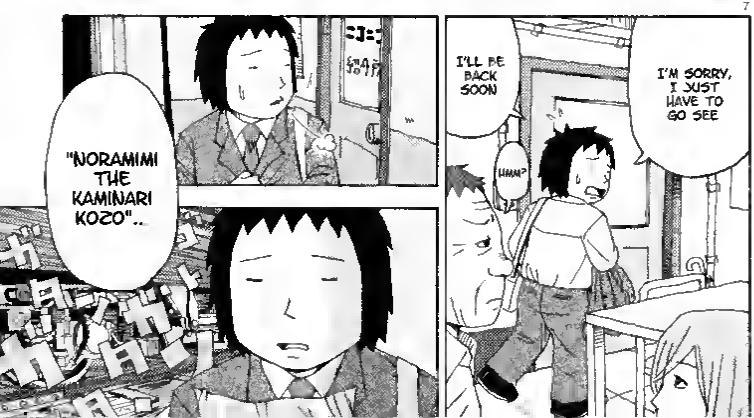
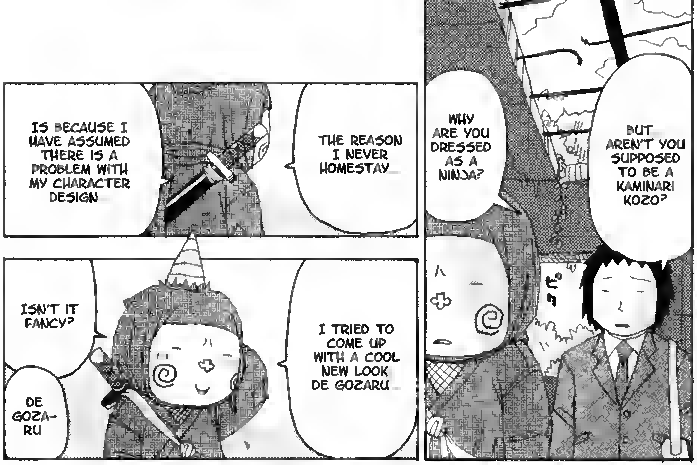
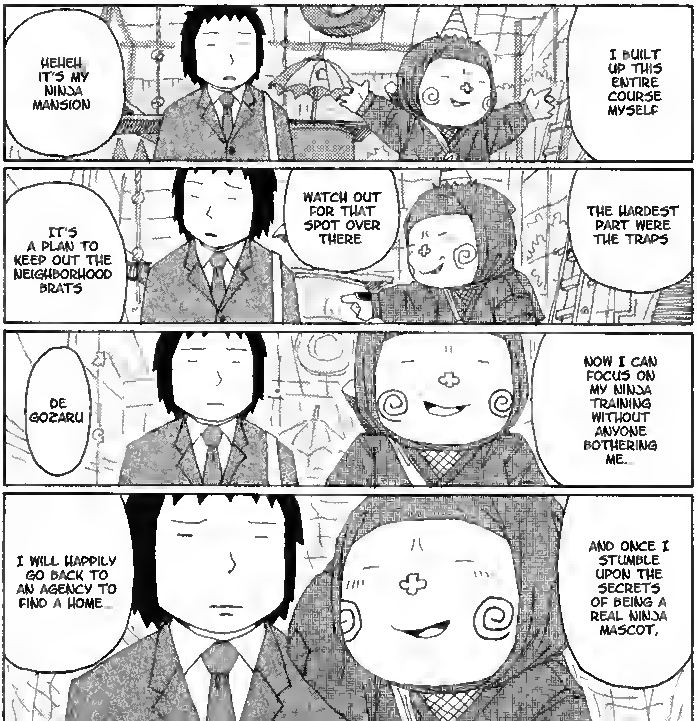

"NORAMIMI THE KAMINARI KOZO"..
I'LL BE BACK SOON
I'M SORRY, I JUST HAVE TO GO SEE
HMM?

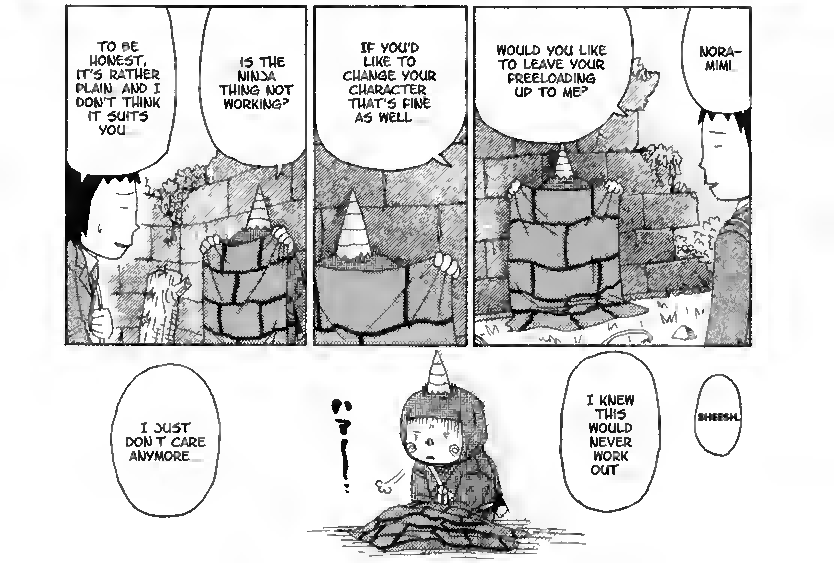
EXCUSE ME, IS ANYONE HERE?

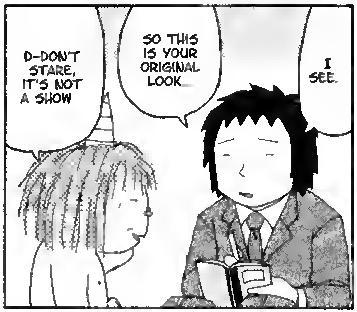
NORA-MIMI?
ARE YOU
I WAS THINKING IF YOU DON'T HAVE A NEW HOME YET WE MIGHT INTRODUCE YOU TO ONE.
I BELIEVE YOU VISITED OUR AGENCY ONCE BEFORE
MY NAME IS HANDA.
I'M FROM SMILEY-SMILE AGENCY
DE GO-ZA-RU?
DO YOU HAVE BUSINESS WITH ME?
YES
PLEASE DON'T MIND ME.
DE GO-ZA-RU
I HAVE NEVER BEEN TO SUCH A PLACE

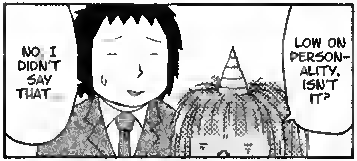

BUT AREN'T YOU SUPPOSED TO BE A KAMINARI KOZO?
WHY ARE YOU DRESSED AS A NINJA?
THE REASON I NEVER HOMESTAY...
IS BECAUSE I HAVE ASSUMED THERE IS A PROBLEM WITH MY CHARACTER DESIGN...
I TRIED TO COME UP WITH A COOL NEW LOOK DE GOZARU...
ISN'T IT FANCY?
DE GOZA-RU

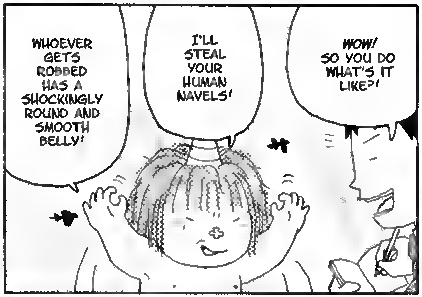

I BUILT UP THIS BATTLE COURSE MYSELF
HEHEH IT'S MY NINJA MANSION
THE HARDEST PART WERE THE TRAPS
WATCH OUT FOR THAT SPOT OVER THERE
IT'S A PLAN TO KEEP OUT THE NEIGHBORHOOD BRATS
NOW I CAN FOCUS ON MY NINJA TRAINING WITHOUT ANYONE BOTHERING ME.
DE GOZARU
AND ONCE I STUMBLE UPON THE SECRETS OF BEING A REAL NINJA MASCOT,
I WILL HAPPILY GO BACK TO AN AGENCY TO FIND A HOME...

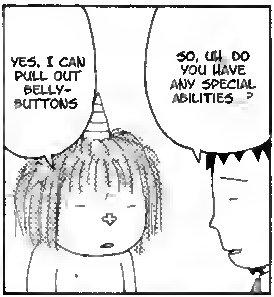
NO FREE-LOADING?
HE'S BEEN LIVING HERE BY HIMSELF ALL ALONG...?

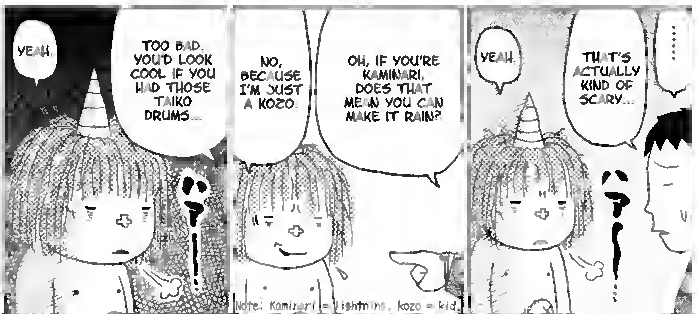

TO BE HONEST, IT'S RATHER PLAIN AND I DON'T THINK IT SUITS YOU...
IS THE NINJA THING NOT WORKING?
IF YOU'D LIKE TO CHANGE YOUR CHARACTER THAT'S FINE AS WELL
WOULD YOU LIKE TO LEAVE YOUR FREELOADING UP TO ME?
NORA-MIMI
I JUST DON'T CARE ANYMORE...
I KNEW THIS WOULD NEVER WORK OUT
SHEESH.



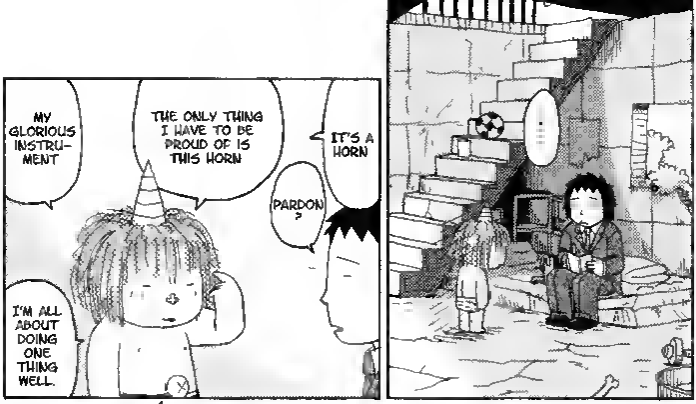


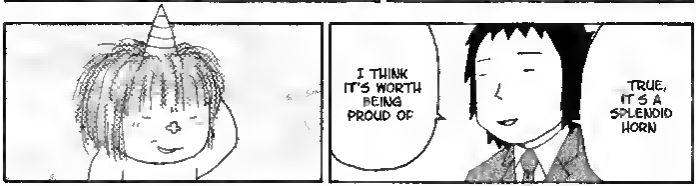


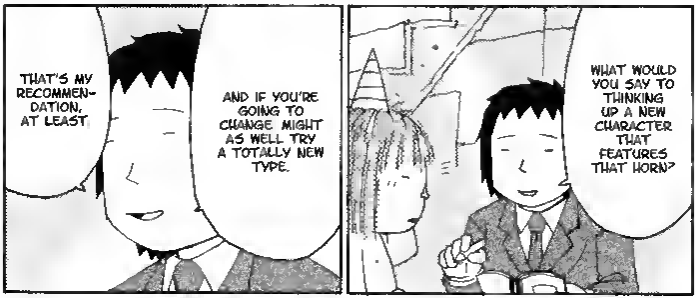



YEAH.
TOO BAD. YOU'D LOOK COOL IF YOU HAD THOSE TAIKO DRUMS...
NO, BECAUSE I'M JUST A KOZO.
OH, IF YOU'RE KAMINARI, DOES THAT MEAN YOU CAN MAKE IT RAIN?
YEAH.
THAT'S ACTUALLY KIND OF SCARY...

Note: Kaminari = lightning, kozo = kid

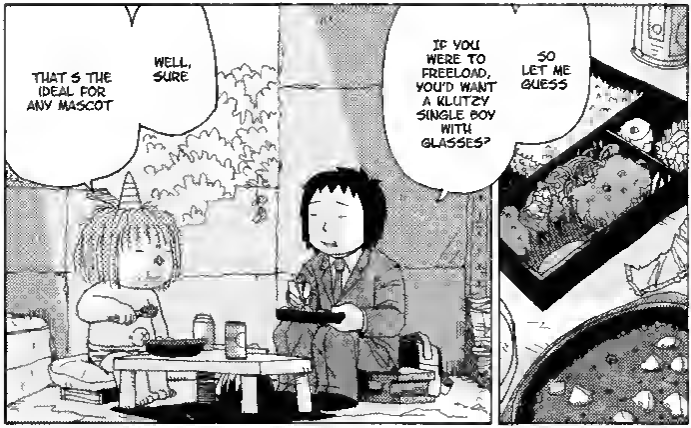

MY GLORIOUS INSTRU-MENT
I'M ALL ABOUT DOING ONE THING WELL.
THE ONLY THING I HAVE TO BE PROUD OF IS THIS HORN
PARDON?
IT'S A HORN

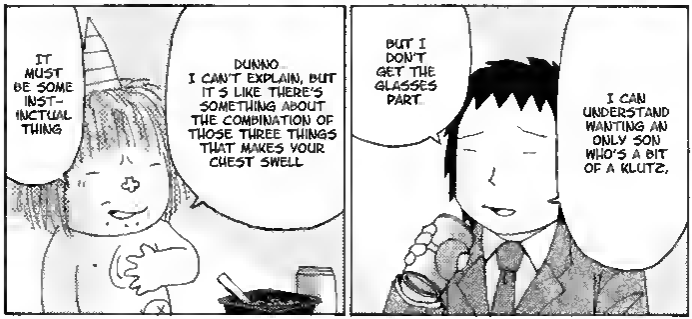

I THINK IT'S WORTH BEING PROUD OF
TRUE, IT'S A SPLENDID HORN


THAT'S MY RECOMMEN-DATION, AT LEAST
AND IF YOU'RE GOING TO CHANGE MIGHT AS WELL TRY A TOTALLY NEW TYPE.
WHAT WOULD YOU SAY TO THINKING UP A NEW CHARACTER THAT FEATURES THAT HORN?

I STILL HAVE MY PRIDE AS A KAMINARI KOZO
SORRY, BUT I'M NOT GONNA CHANGE MY STYLE
.....

……
I'M NEVER GONNA FIND A HOME THAT WANTS ME, ANYWAY.
REALLY, THERE'S NOTHING WORTHWHILE FOR YOU TO BOTHER WITH ME FOR…
IT'S NOT IMPORT-ANT
WHY'D YOU COME OUT ALL THE WAY FOR ME?
YOU'RE A NICE GUY, THOUGH.
I GUESS I'LL JUST BE GOING
I COULD DO THAT
WOULD YOU LIKE TO EAT SOMETHING WITH ME?
YOU HAVEN'T HAD LUNCH, HAVE YOU?


THAT'S THE IDEAL FOR ANY MASCOT
WELL, SURE
IF YOU WERE TO FREELOAD, YOU'D WANT A KLUTZY SINGLE BOY WITH GLASSES?
SO LET ME GUESS


IT MUST BE SOME INST- INCTUAL THING
DUNNO... I CAN'T EXPLAIN, BUT IT'S LIKE THERE'S SOMETHING ABOUT THE COMBINATION OF THOSE THREE THINGS THAT MAKES YOUR CHEST SWELL
BUT I DON'T GET THE GLASSES PART.
I CAN UNDERSTAND WANTING AN ONLY SON WHO'S A BIT OF A KLUTZ.

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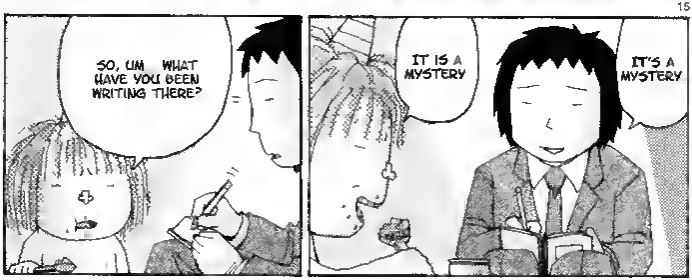
SO, UM... WHAT HAVE YOU BEEN WRITING THERE?
IT IS A MYSTERY
IT'S A MYSTERY

I DO LIKE MY JOB I'M JUST DESPERATE NOT TO LOSE IT
A MAN DEDICATED TO HIS WORK!
THE BOSS WILL YELL AT ME IF I DON'T JOT DOWN EVERY LITTLE THING
OH JUST MARKING THINGS DOWN I'M BAD AT REMEMBERING WORK STUFF
SORRY FOR STICKING AROUND SO LONG
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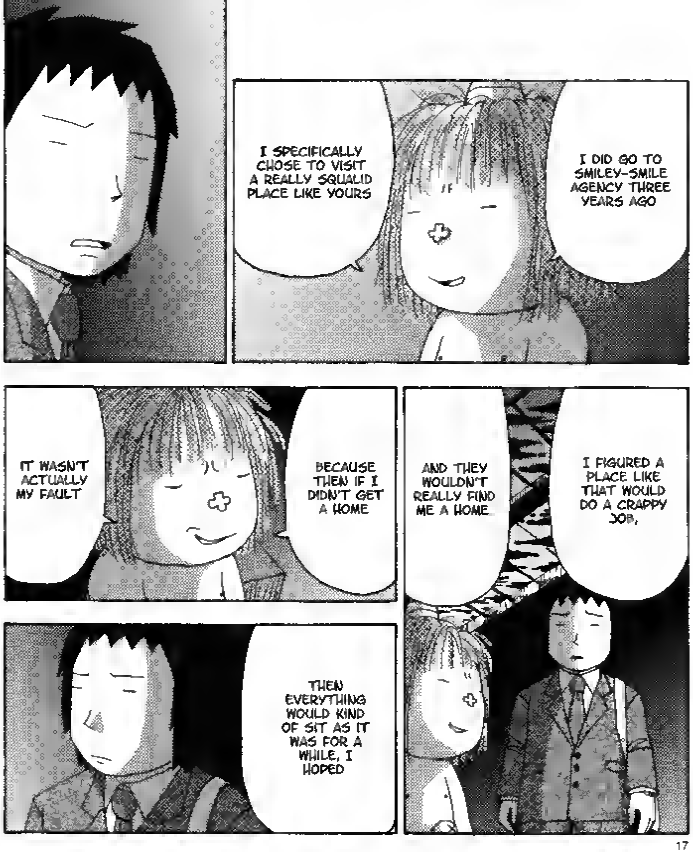
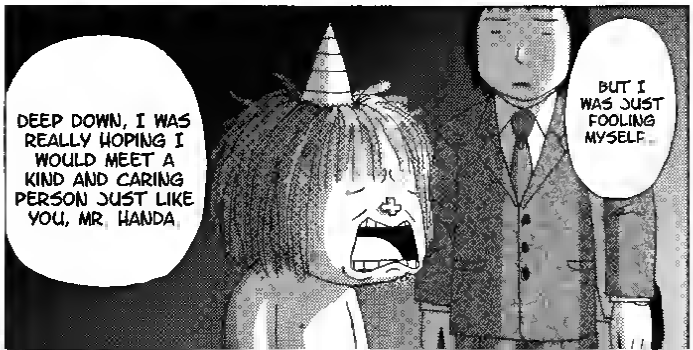
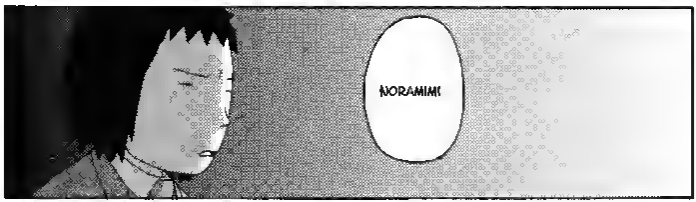
I REMEMBER NOW
JUST THINK IT OVER FOR ME.
WELL, I'LL BE BACK


I DID GO TO SMILEY-SMILE AGENCY THREE YEARS AGO
I SPECIFICALLY CHOSE TO VISIT A REALLY SQUALID PLACE LIKE YOURS
BECAUSE THEN IF I DIDN'T GET A HOME
IT WASN'T ACTUALLY MY FAULT
I FIGURED A PLACE LIKE THAT WOULD DO A CRAPPY JOB,
AND THEY WOULDN'T REALLY FIND ME A HOME
THEN EVERYTHING WOULD KIND OF SIT AS IT WAS FOR A WHILE, I HOPED


BUT I WAS JUST FOOLING MYSELF.
DEEP DOWN, I WAS REALLY HOPING I WOULD MEET A KIND AND CARING PERSON JUST LIKE YOU, MR. HANDA.

PLEASE HELP ME I DON'T CARE ABOUT BEING A KAMINARI KOZO ANYMORE
FIND ME A HOME AS SOON AS YOU CAN.


NORAMIMI

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SORRY IT'S SO CRAMPED.
WELCOME COME ON IN
Smiley-Smile
Agency

Urrgh
DON'T MIND HIM LET'S JUST GET GOING
THERE'S SOMEONE SLEEPING THERE
IT'LL BE OVER QUICKLY
THIS IS IT...?
EEK!
ALL OF IT? TO THE SCALP?!
FIRST, I'LL HAVE TO SHAVE YOUR HEAD
SO WE'LL GO WITH THE CHARACTER WE TALKED ABOUT EARLIER?
SORRY, GO AHEAD
OKAY
WELL, YES?
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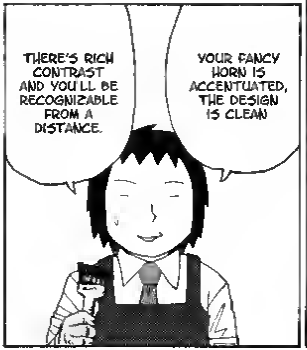
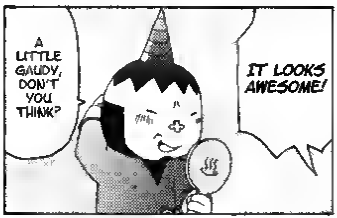
HERE WE GO
ALL READY?





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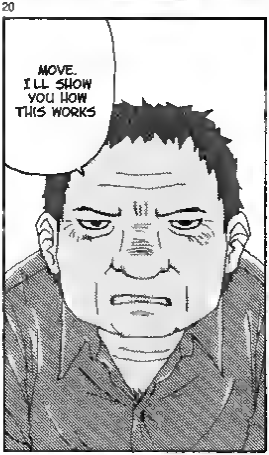

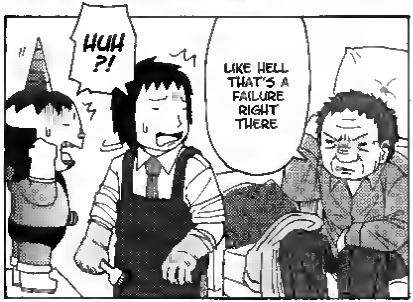

NORAMIMI PRIMER PART ONE = THE END

THEY DON'T SCANLATE ONE PIECE ANYMORE, BUT MANGA SCREENER IS STILL THE HOME OF THE BEST MANGA ON THE NET!
MANGASCREENER

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SO WHY D YOU MESS WITH HIS CHARACTER WITHOUT PERMISSION?
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BE-CAU-SE
YOU WERE SLEEPING, BOSS
IT S THE WORK OF AN AMATEUR
THAT 'ALIEN" DESIGN IS JUST SCREAMING AT PEOPLE "I MADE UP THIS LOOK MYSELF!"
YOU'VE GOT TOO MUCH TO LEARN
DON'T GET AHEAD OF YOURSELF, JUST BECAUSE YOU'VE LEARNED HOW TO BRING IN CUSTOMERS ON YOUR OWN
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I THINK THE ALL-PINK LOOK WILL BE A HIT
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AND NOW THE HORN SERVES A NATURAL PURPOSE
BASING IT ON THE ANIMAL KINGDOM ALWAYS WORKS
THIS'LL DO

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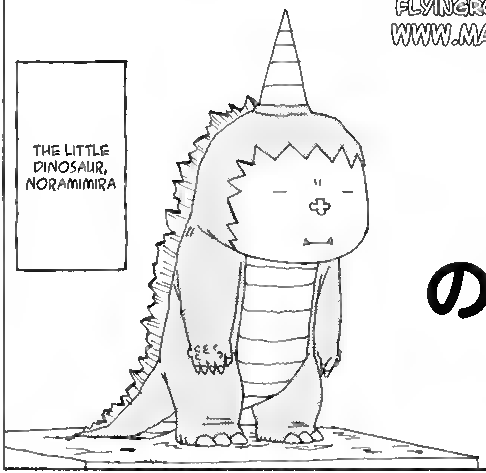

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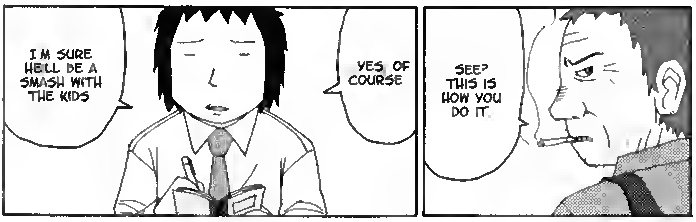
PART TWO



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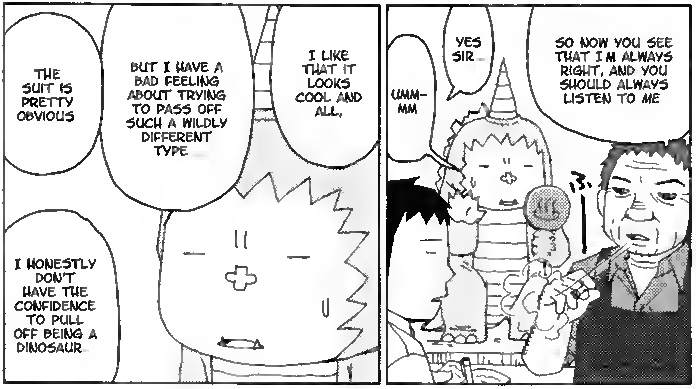
THE SUIT IS PRETTY OBVIOUS
BUT I HAVE A BAD FEELING ABOUT TRYING TO PASS OFF SUCH A WILDLY DIFFERENT TYPE
I LIKE THAT IT LOOKS COOL AND ALL,
I HONESTLY DON'T HAVE THE CONFIDENCE TO PULL OFF BEING A DINOSAUR
UMM-MM
YES SIR
SO NOW YOU SEE THAT I'M ALWAYS RIGHT, AND YOU SHOULD ALWAYS LISTEN TO ME
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KIDS ARE EASY TO FOOL! JUST GROWL AND ROAR
YOU REALLY THINK SO?
YEAH! ANYONE WOULD THINK YOU'RE A DINOSAUR YOU LOOK THE PART

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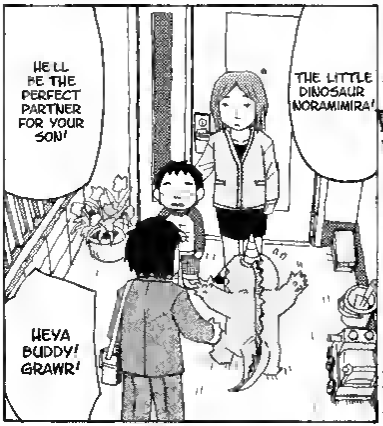
YOU'RE A DINOSAUR! YOU JUST ROAR AND EVERYONE BELIEVES IT
DON'T START PACKING OUT ON IT NOW


HE'LL BE THE PERFECT PARTNER FOR YOUR SON!
THE LITTLE DINOSAUR NORAMIMIRA!
HEYA BUDDY! GRAWR!

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NOT AT ALL!
IN FACT, HE'S A VERY TIMID DINOSAUR
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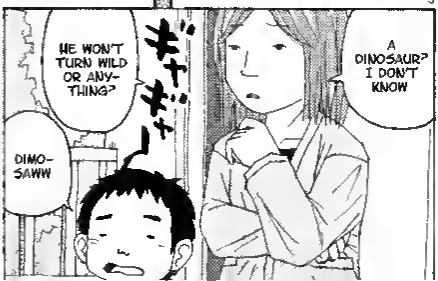
HE WON'T TURN WILD OR ANY-THING?
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DIMO-SAWW
A DINOSAUR? I DON'T KNOW

BUT HE'LL GROW UP AND TURN PIG WON'T HE?
ABSO-LUTELY NOT!
HE'S AN ETERNAL CHILD! AND HE DOESN'T EAT THAT MUCH!
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WHAT DO YOU THINK, TAKA-YUKI?
HE SCAWWY
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I'M AFRAID HE DOESN'T SEEM TO LIKE HIM.
WE'LL PASS, THIS TIME.
HUH?!
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THAT'S WEIRD
バタン
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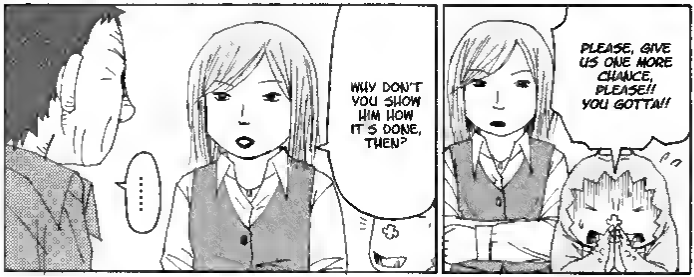
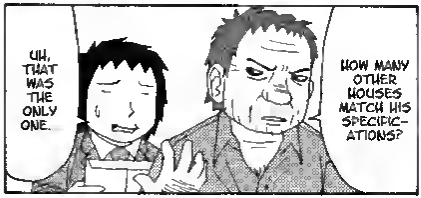
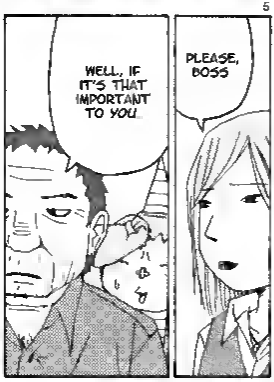
YOU IDIOT!
MY DESIGN SURE AS HELL AIN'T THE PROBLEM!

LET'S JUST ALL SETTTLE DOWN!!
THIS TIME, YOU'RE FIRED!
YOU'RE FIRED!
UH, LET'S NOT GET VIOLENT HERE
THE PROBLEM IS YOU DIDN'T SELL HIM HARD ENOUGH!!


WHY DON'T YOU SHOW HIM HOW IT'S DONE, THEN?
PLEASE, GIVE US ONE MORE CHANCE, PLEASE!! YOU GOTTA!!


UH, THAT WAS THE ONLY ONE.
HOW MANY OTHER HOUSES MATCH HIS SPECIFIC-ATIONS?


WELL, IF IT'S THAT IMPORTANT TO YOU
PLEASE, BOSS

ALL RIGHT, THEN
TCH

I SEE
YOU GO AFTER THE KID
SEE IN A CASE LIKE THIS...
I PULLED SOME STRINGS AND GOT HIM TO COME DOWN
OH, I KNOW HIM HE'S REAL FAMOUS ON TV AND EVERY-THING
I CALLED FOR "EARTH DETECTIVE DEKAMELON"
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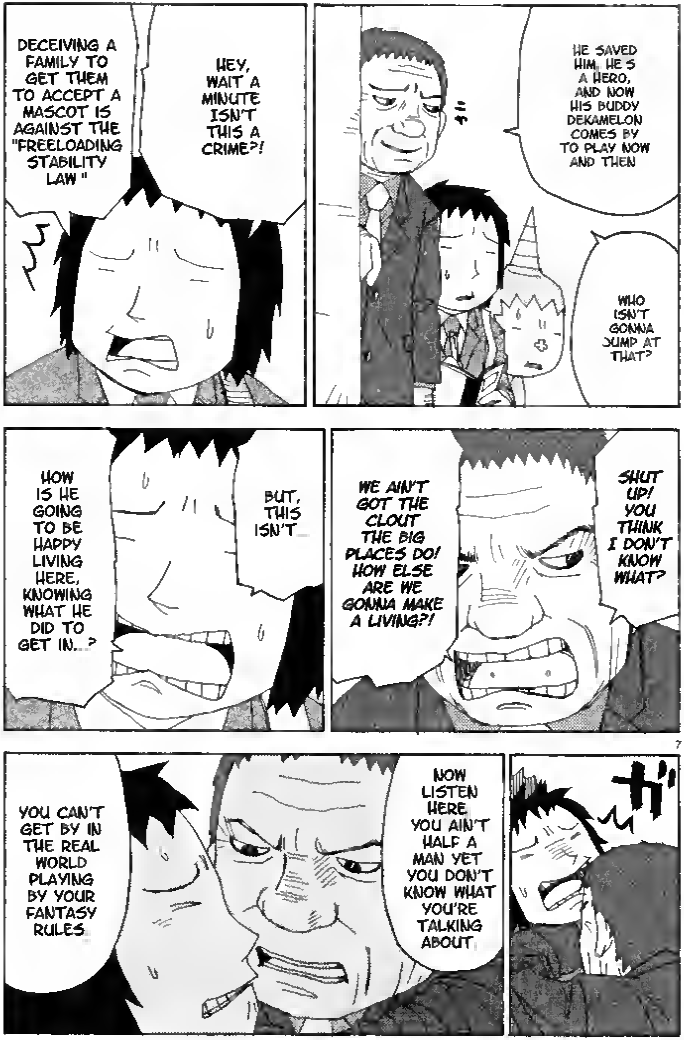
WE CALL IT A "MISTAKE ARREST."
A HERO ATTACKS A KID?!
for illegal parking!
BUS
AND SINCE WE CORRECTED THE HERO'S MISTAKE OUR LITTLE PAL GETS A "HERO DINOSAUR" IMAGE
HE ATTACKS THE KID
you are under arrest
IT'S A SIMPLE TRICK
Huh?
NORAMIMI SAVES HIM IN THE NICK OF TIME


DECEIVING A FAMILY TO GET THEM TO ACCEPT A MASCOT IS AGAINST THE "FREELOADING STABILITY LAW"
HEY, WAIT A MINUTE ISN'T THIS A CRIME?!
HE SAVED HIM. HE'S A HERO, AND NOW HIS BUDDY DEKAMELON COMES BY TO PLAY NOW AND THEN
WHO ISN'T GONNA JUMP AT THAT?
HOW IS HE GOING TO BE HAPPY LIVING HERE, KNOWING WHAT HE DID TO GET IN...?
BUT, THIS ISN'T...
WE AIN'T GOT THE CLOUT THE BIG PLACES DO! HOW ELSE ARE WE GONNA MAKE A LIVING?!
SHUT UP! YOU THINK I DON'T KNOW WHAT?
YOU CAN'T GET BY IN THE REAL WORLD PLAYING BY YOUR FANTASY RULES.
NOW LISTEN HERE. YOU AIN'T HALF A MAN YET YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT.

I'LL TAKE ALL RESPONSIBILITY FOR WHAT HAPPENS!
P-! PLEASE, LET ME DO THIS!
YOU SEE THAT?
WE UNDERSTANDS BEST OF ALL
I'LL DO ANYTHING IT TAKES TO FREELOAD THERE
PLEASE.
NORA-MIMI
HEH HEH HEH I'M GONNA LOCK YOU IN THE CLINK!
LET ME GOOO! I DIMMIT DO ANYFING WRONG!
U-HEY!
JOT IT DOWN
YOU LEARNED SOMETHING FROM THIS?
YES SIR

YOU MUST BE NORAMIMIRA THE LITTLE DINOSAUR
ISS DA DIMA-SAWW!
FINALLY!
YOU LET TAKAYUKI GO!
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C'MON, TELL ME YOU'VE MEMORIZED YOUR LINES
LET'S HEAR IT!
LOOKS LIKE YOU HAVE A PROBLEM WITH THIS ARREST
Help me dinosaur
.....
NO ANY-THING BUT THAT!
WOW, A HOWN ATTACK!
UGH WHAT A MESS
LOOK AT MY HORN!
AREN'T YOU SCARED OF THIS TERRIBLE HORN?!
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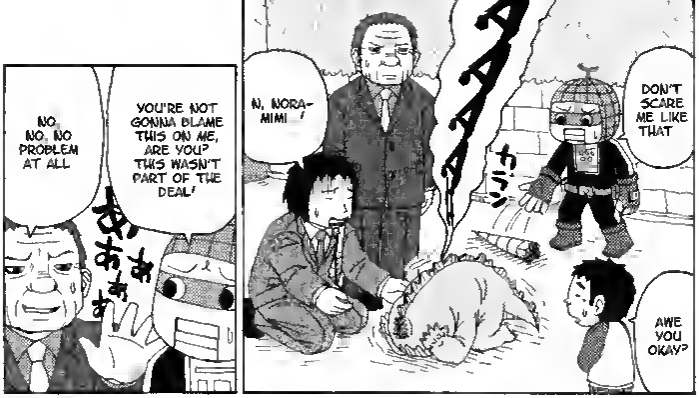
NO, NO, NO PROBLEM AT ALL
YOU'RE NOT GONNA BLAME THIS ON ME, ARE YOU? THIS WASN'T PART OF THE DEAL!
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N, NORA-MIMI!
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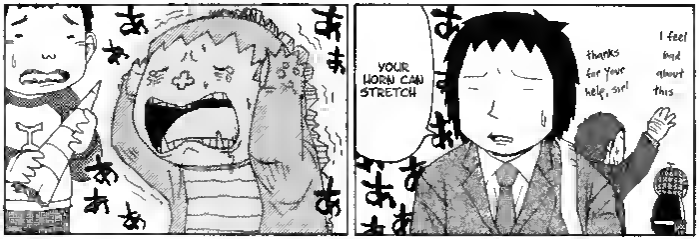
DON'T SCARE ME LIKE THAT
AWE YOU OKAY?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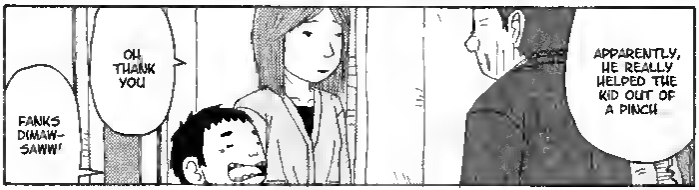
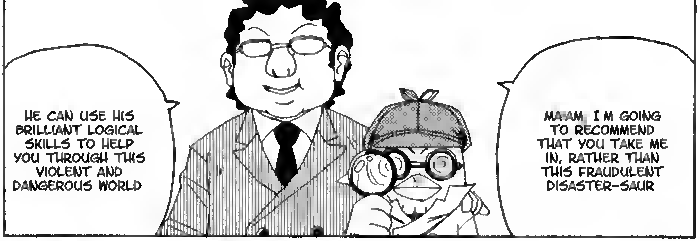
YOUR HORN CAN STRETCH
thanks for your help, sir!
I feel bad about this


FANKS DMAW-SAWW!
OH THANK YOU
APPARENTLY, WE REALLY HELPED THE KID OUT OF A PINCH

WOULD YOU CONSIDER PRINOING HIM IN...?
THEY SEEM TO BE FRIENDS NOW
WHAT DO YOU SAY?
WE'RE JUST GLAD THAT TAKAYUKI'S OKAY

THE CULPRIT IS AMONG US!
WAIT RIGHT THERE!
YES, MAYBE WE SHOULD
DIMA-SAWW!
DO NOT BE FOOLED, MADAM
WE RE FROM "MARUS MASCOT AGEANCY"
I M THE "PRIVATE EYE, BIRD-GLASSES"
IS THAT SAME GUY WHO ?

OH MY WORD!
AND HERE ARE THE SHOTS TO PROVE IT.
THESE GOONS ARE PLAYING YOU FOR A FOOL!


HE CAN USE HIS BRILLIANT LOGICAL SKILLS TO HELP YOU THROUGH THIS VIOLENT AND DANGEROUS WORLD
MAAM, I'M GOING TO RECOMMEND THAT YOU TAKE ME IN, RATHER THAN THIS FRAUDULENT DISASTER-SAUR

THANK YOU
COME INSIDE
HUH? BUT...
I'D LIKE TO HEAR MORE IF YOU PLEASE.
OH THAT SOUNDS GOOD
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YOU FILTHY RAT!
MARUS, YOU WERE KEEPIN' AN EYE ON US!

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I LEARNED IT ALL FROM YOU.
HEH

I THOUGHT I HAD TAUGHT HIM HOW TO DO THINGS RIGHT
HE STRUCK OUT ON HIS OWN AND STARTED AN AGENCY LAST YEAR
HUH?!
HE WORKED FOR US BEFORE YOU DID
DO YOU KNOW HIM?
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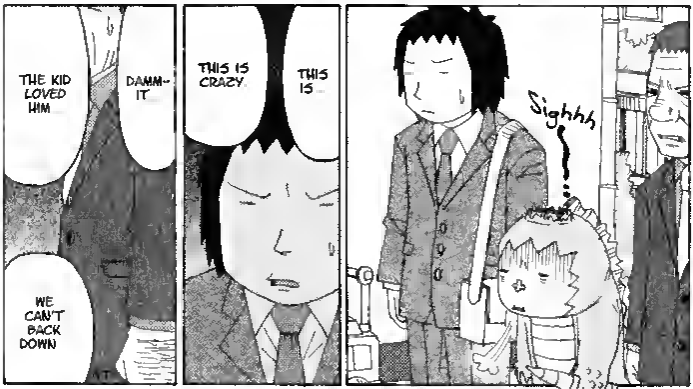
THE KID LOVED HIM
DAMM-- IT
WE CAN'T BACK DOWN
THIS IS CRAZY
THIS IS--
Sighhh

I'M VERY SORRY FOR WHAT HAPPENED, MA'AM
WHAT IS IT?
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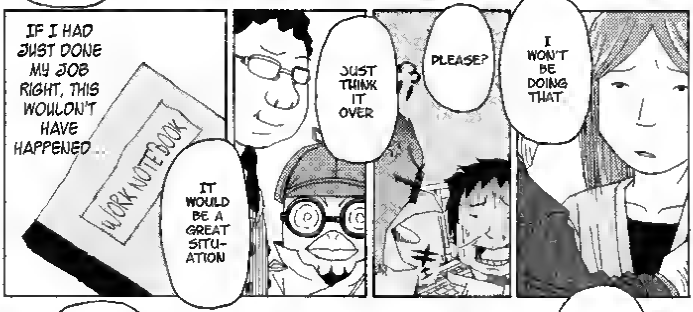
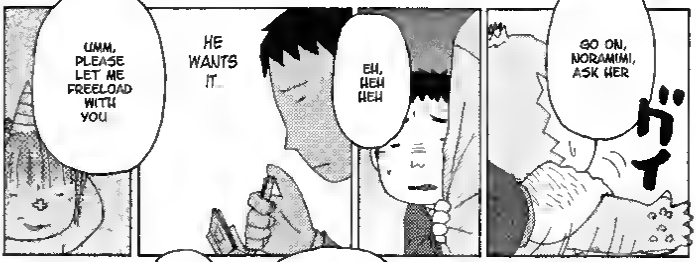
NO, THIS IS MY JOB...
WOULD YOU CONSIDER IT?
YOU COULD EVEN HAVE TWO MASCOTS AT ONCE!
TAKAYUKI REALLY LIKES THE LITTLE DINOSAUR
UM...
WAIT


IF I HAD JUST DONE MY JOB RIGHT, THIS WOULDN'T HAVE HAPPENED...
WORK NOTEBOOK
IT WOULD BE A GREAT SITU-ATION
JUST THINK IT OVER
PLEASE?
I WON'T BE DOING THAT...


UMM, PLEASE LET ME FREELOAD WITH YOU
HE WANTS IT...
EH, HEH HEH
GO ON, NORAMIMI, ASK HER
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MY JOB...
AFTER WHAT YOU DID...
I THINK A DETECTIVE AND A DINOSAUR WOULD MAKE A GREAT COMBO, HA HA...
HA HA HA...
HEH HEH
I HAVE TO DO MY JOB...
STOP IT...

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HUF
HUF
DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA WHAT YOU'RE DOING?!
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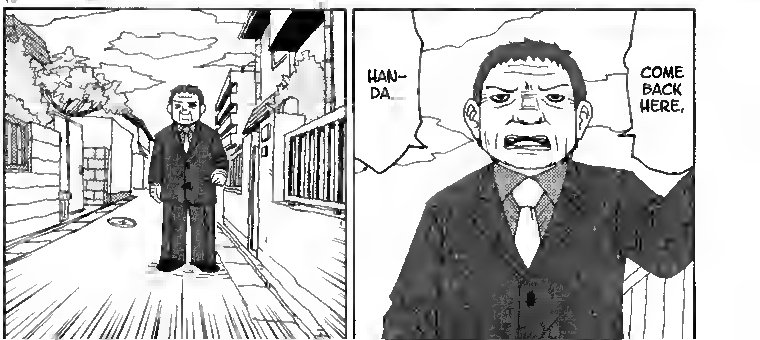
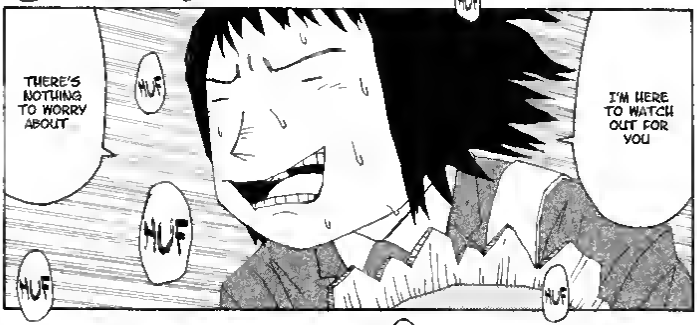
HANDA!


HAN-
DA...
COME BACK HERE.

HUF
DON'T WORRY
YOU'RE OKAY
I'M HERE


THERE'S NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT
I'M HERE TO WATCH OUT FOR YOU
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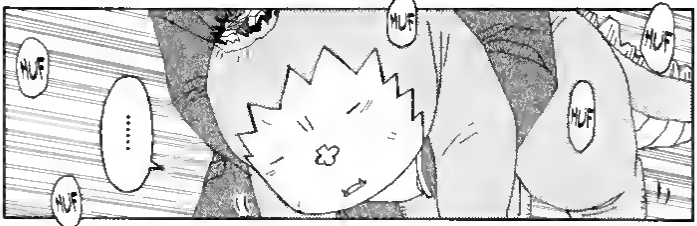
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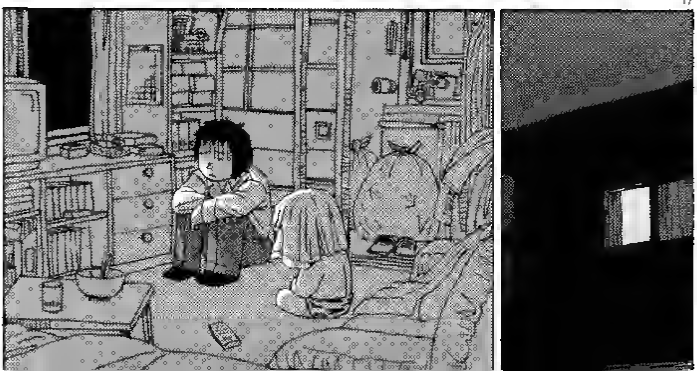
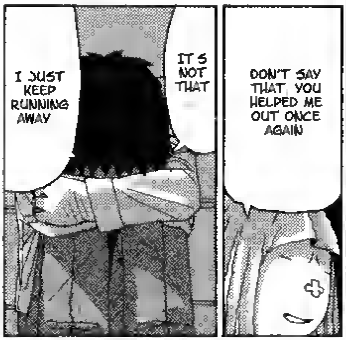
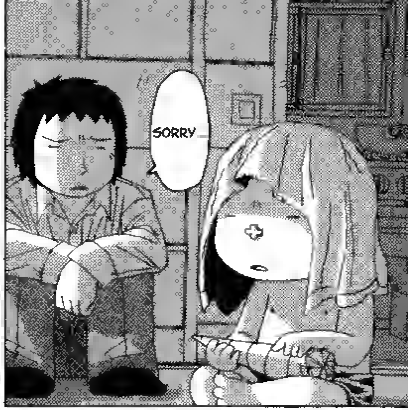



I JUST KEEP RUNNING AWAY
IT'S NOT THAT
DON'T SAY THAT YOU HELPED ME OUT ONCE AGAIN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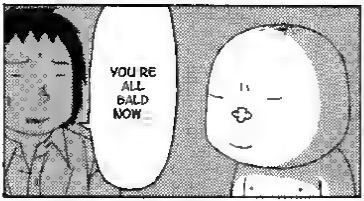
YOU'RE ALL BALD NOW...

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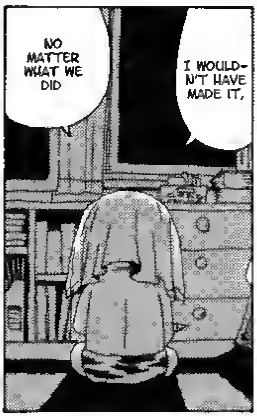
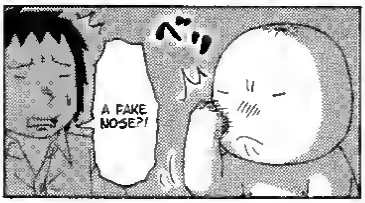

NO MATTER WHAT WE DID
I WOULDN'T HAVE MADE IT,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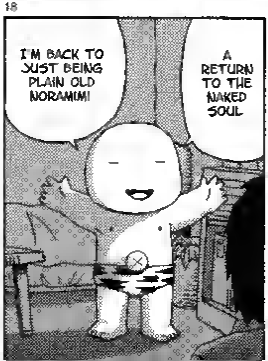
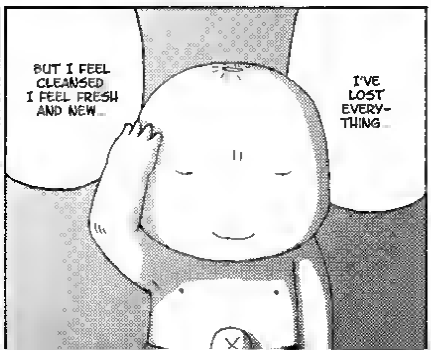
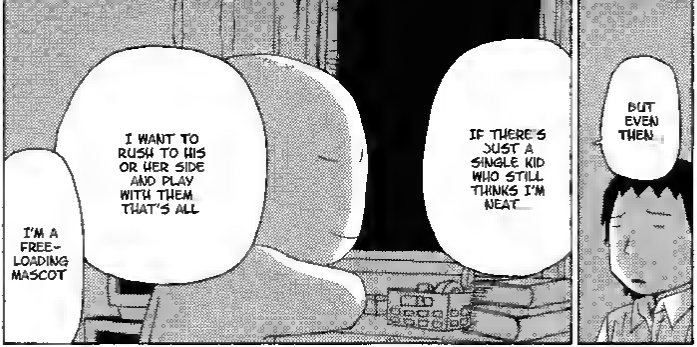
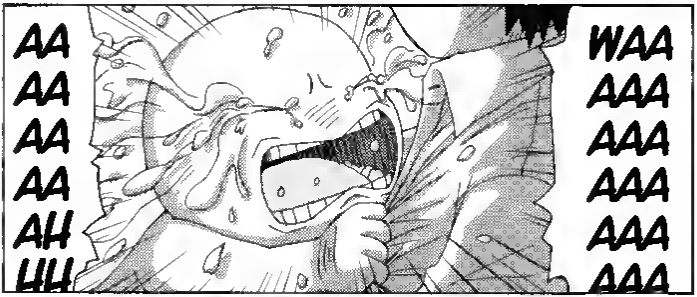
A FAKE NOSE?!


I'M BACK TO JUST BEING PLAIN OLD NORAMIM!
A RETURN TO THE NAKED SOUL


BUT I FEEL CLEANSED I FEEL FRESH AND NEW...
I'VE LOST EVERYTHING...


I'M A FREE-LOADING MASCOT
I WANT TO RUSH TO HIS OR HER SIDE AND PLAY WITH THEM. THAT'S ALL
IF THERE'S JUST A SINGLE KID WHO STILL THINKS I'M NEAT...
BUT EVEN THEN...

HIC...
HIC
I'M FINE WITH THAT I DON'T HAVE ANYTHING ELSE.
NORA-MIMI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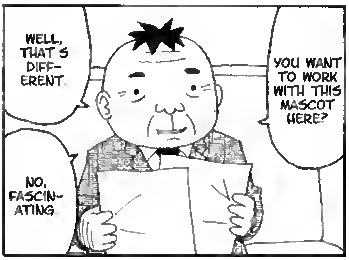

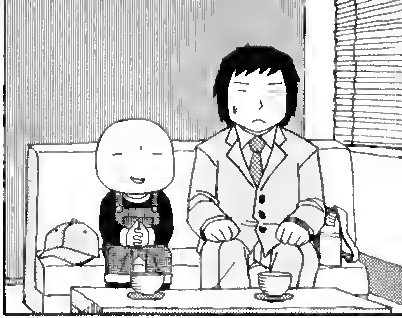

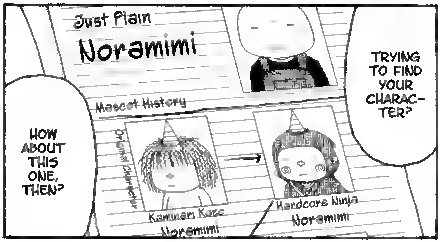

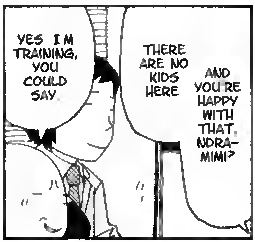

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OH, BUT I THINK YOU'LL WANT TO ATTACH YOUR NOSE AGAIN.
AND THIS WAY, WE'LL ACTUALLY HAVE A LITERAL "MASCOT" FOR THE AGENCY
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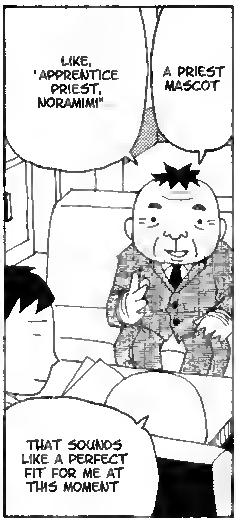
03-5555-xxxx
居候キャラ紹介所



NORAMIMI PRIMER PART TWO = THE END

Mascot File

ID No.	02000032
Type	Bay Priest (Human)
Name	Apprentice Priest **Noramimi**

No. of Families Serviced	2
Special Skills	Pulling out bellybuttons.
Favorite Food	Syrup.
Motto	Be yourself
Preferred Family	I don't have any preferences. Taking all comers.
Message	I'm actually a kannushi kozo, but in training. I'm prepared to be whatever suits you
Further Notes	Searching for his true character. Customizable.

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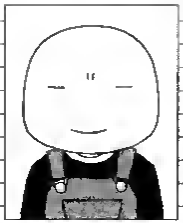
Just Plain

Noramimi



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Original Character

Kaminari Kozo
Noramimi

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Noramimi

Left-Behind Alien
Noramimee

The Little Dinosaur
Noramimira

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